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February 11	27	12
February 12	27	12
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February 12	8.5
February 13	3.2
February 14	0.3
February 15	0.1

Snow: 6.5 inches.

Premier Outlines Policy for Further Power Expansion

Complete Vernon-Kamloops Power Line By Spring; Whatshan Progress Rapid

The 60,000 volt transmission line, now under construction by the B.C. Power Commission between Vernon and Kamloops, will be completed early this spring, according to Premier Byron Johnson in his policy speech to the Provincial Legislature this week.

Liberal Policy To Be Nominating Convention At Kelowna

March 14 Date; President States "Impossible" Move To Combine Two Parties

The Yale Liberal Association will be holding a nominating convention in Kelowna, on March 14, at 7:30 p.m., to name a candidate for Yale riding in the coming election.

Howard Thornton, president of the Association, was asked by The News on Tuesday evening whether his group was considering joining with the Progressive Conservatives.

A common candidate would find place in the House of Commons. Our Liberal policy, and that of the Conservative party, is to have the thought of joining these two "impossible," related.

Irrigation Project Details Given Soon

W. Morrow, M.L.A., advised Vernon News late Wednesday morning that details of the \$3,000,000 expenditure on irrigation will be available for a few days.

His policy speech to the Legislature on Friday, Premier Byron Johnson announced the irrigation plan, which will amount to expenditures of \$3,000,000. No details were given by the Premier.

Morrow further stated that plan will be made in a short by the responsible minister in testing the Legislature.

Scout-Girl Guide Week

Scout-Girl Guide Week in Vernon will be observed from February 20 to February 27 inclusive. The week is observed in common with every city, town and community throughout Canada. The slogan will be: "Preparing for Tomorrow."

Preparation, Saturday has been set apart as "Good Turn Day."

The purpose of Scout-Guide Week is to demonstrate the training which Scout and Guide provides for Canadian boys and girls. It is not a financial campaign.

Locally one of the features will be a series of "Parents' Night" evenings which will give mothers an opportunity to see their boys and girls, and to see for their boys, the type of training they have, and the type of training they have, and the type of training they have.

On Monday, Number Two Pack Troop will hold a Parent's Night in the Scout Hall at 7:30 p.m. On Tuesday, Number Three Pack Troop will hold a Parent's Night in the Scout Hall at 7:30 p.m. On Wednesday, Number Four Pack Troop will hold a Parent's Night in the Scout Hall at 7:30 p.m. On Thursday, Number Five Pack Troop will hold a Parent's Night in the Scout Hall at 7:30 p.m. On Friday, Number Six Pack Troop will hold a Parent's Night in the Scout Hall at 7:30 p.m. On Saturday, Number Seven Pack Troop will hold a Parent's Night in the Scout Hall at 7:30 p.m. On Sunday, Number Eight Pack Troop will hold a Parent's Night in the Scout Hall at 7:30 p.m.

On Tuesday, the Okanagan Landing Cub Pack will be holding a Parent's Night in the Scout Hall at 7:30 p.m.

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Indian Walks Three Miles Across Okanagan Lake Ice

Reports concerning the unusual severity of this winter were given further support on Saturday morning when Christie Parker walked across the ice on Okanagan Lake, from Whiteman's Creek, on the west side, to Finlayson's store at the Landing, and then made the return trip.

The Indian has lived in the Whiteman's Creek district for 50 of his 55 years and has never seen or heard of anyone making the trip across the ice before.

He left his home about 10 a.m. Saturday and covered the three-mile distance in less than an hour and a half. Trailing obediently at his heels, and never daring to walk ahead, was Mr. Parker's dog.

When he reached the store at Okanagan Landing, he casually purchased what he required and answered the many questions asked him simply by stating he had decided to walk across the lake and proceeded to do so. He spent about a half hour at the store and then set out on the trek back.

Mrs. Norman Finlayson was surprised and amazed when she saw the man walking across the lake "at a fair pace with no hesitation."

"The thing that surprised me most was the manner in which the dog trailed his master, not daring to run ahead, but walking right on Mr. Parker's heels," she added.

Mr. Finlayson reported yesterday, Wednesday, that the ice on the lake was between four and five inches thick all the way across, except where springs bubble up.

Asks Barter Exchange to Open British Apple Market

Yale M.P. Features Fruit Industry, Irrigation Plan in Commons Speech

With Okanagan Valley fruit growers denied the British market, while other countries' apples are accepted, and with the Valley fruit industry geared 50 percent to that market, O. L. Jones, M.P. for Yale, urged in a recent House of Commons speech that the government review the situation, particularly in regard to exchange difficulties.

He asked that ways and means be found to carry out some form of commodity exchange to the mutual advantage of both countries.

Mr. Jones maintained this would not call for the setting up of the export-import board as the machinery was established in sections of the Canadian Commercial Corporation.

"I feel quite sure that by approaching the problem on the basis of exchange or barter, the difficulties of marketing this 50 percent of our production could be overcome."

This principle, Mr. Jones asserted, had been approved already by Great Britain in that she had signed a pact with Poland providing for barter and exchange.

Mr. Jones led up to these remarks with a reference to the last session of Parliament during which "events took place affecting the welfare of Yale riding probably more than any other riding in this country."

First named was the General pact, which affected apples. During that period, Canada lost the British preference and the British preference program hurt the fruit industry. Freight rate increases cost the Valley fruit industry about \$1,000,000 in freight alone. Flood conditions were an added problem, still with us.

The Yale member reflected the "marvellous growth" of the industry in the last few years. In five years production of cherries, apricots, peaches, plums, pears, and apples increased from \$7,175,000 to \$24,999,000.

Turning to the domestic market, Mr. Jones said:

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Dorcas Society to Furnish New Ward

Further contributions have been made to the furnishing funds for the new Vernon Jubilee Hospital. A. Berner, chairman of the committee, reported Wednesday that the Dorcas Society of the Seventh Day Adventist Church has undertaken to sponsor a two-bed ward.

Furnishings must be ordered by the end of this week and Mr. Berner asks that any sponsor wishing to select furniture or choose certain colors contact him at Shillam's, Garage this afternoon, Thursday, or tomorrow, Friday.

Many Questions (Continued on Page 4, Col. 4)

More Prevalent Now

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Flood Control Project In North Okanagan Sought

Irrigation, Margarine, Public Works Also Featured in M.L.A.'s Address

Flood control, irrigation projects, public works, margarine, school taxation, fish and game appropriations, national parks and statutes were the varied subjects, of particular interest to the Okanagan Valley, dealt with by C. W. Morrow, M.L.A. for the North Okanagan, speaking on the Throne Speech debate at Victoria yesterday, Wednesday.

Press Dominion Public Works for New Post Office

Postmaster General Has Submitted Request to Be Considered in Estimates

The request of the Vernon Board of Trade for a new Post Office has the backing of the Postmaster General's Department at Ottawa. On the matter of Sunday train service, the city group is also urging action.

The Department of Public Works is being "pressed for the erection of a new Post Office building" for Vernon. So states W. J. Turnbull, writing to the Board of Trade on behalf of the Postmaster General, on February 11.

Text of the letter follows:

"An item calling for the erection of a new Post Office building in the City of Vernon appears in a list of similar projects which we have submitted to the Department of Public Works for consideration in connection with their estimates."

"As you know, during the past year, we inaugurated letter carrier delivery service in the community, and this has greatly relieved congestion in the public lobby in the Post Office, although it has not, of course, remedied the crowded conditions in the working space."

"It is for this reason that we are continuing to press the Department of Public Works for the erection of a new Post Office building in the community."

Vigorous action in respect to Sunday train service for the Okanagan Valley continues to be the policy of the Trade Board.

Write Transport Commissioners

Even in the face of discouragement on the part of the railways that such a service would be uneconomical, the Board wrote the Board of Transport Commissioners.

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Principals in Budapest Trial
Josef Cardinal Mindszenty (left), Roman Catholic Primate in Hungary, clasps his hands as he stands in People's Court in Budapest. Hungary, recently, and hears himself sentenced to life imprisonment. At right is Prof. Justin Baranyay, professor of Church Law at the University of Budapest, who was sentenced to 15 years in prison. The Cardinal was convicted on charges of treason to Hungary.

Annual Hospital Reports Reveal Difficulties Over

Review Year Studied with "Operating Difficulties"; Close to 100 People Attend

A rather amazing attendance of close to 100 persons was on hand for the annual meeting of the Vernon Jubilee Hospital Association on Friday when President K. W. Kinnard reviewed a year studied with "operating difficulties."

The report ended on an encouraging note, however, as Mr. Kinnard declared "this was the happiest week we have had at the hospital for quite a while."

These operating difficulties formed the highlights of the report as Mr. Kinnard reviewed the resignations of two matrons and told of the arrangements now in force.

"We have had a lot of difficulties in one way or another and any who have not lived with it can hardly understand the situation. I think I can safely say we are now back to normal." Appreciation was paid Dr. F. E. Pettman, as medical superintendent, and to the nursing staff.

Auditing of the financial statement could not be completed in time for the meeting but major figures were included in the report.

Financial State

Total operating revenue was \$141,243 but writing off necessary bad and "free service" accounts lessened this figure to \$114,945. Various grants brought total revenue to \$167,602.

On the expenditure side, salaries and other items accounted for \$107,000.

Following the election of directors at the annual meeting of the hospital association on Friday, K. W. Kinnard was named again to the presidency. Frank Becker continues as first vice-president, while Alderman David Howie remains second vice-president.

Only one change has been made in the personnel of the board over last year. The new directorate includes: Mrs. F. G. deWolf, A. Berner, J. B. Woods, Charles Ansell, J. G. Strother, Frank Valair, R. W. Ley, G. E. Anderson, G. W. Griffiths, Dr. H. Campbell-Brown and William Farquharson, all of Vernon, and J. D. Churchill, of Falkland.

\$147,370. Capital expenditure, house and surgical equipment added another \$6,378 plus depreciation and special items.

"This will leave a nominal balance to be carried to surplus account but final realization of that balance depends on the collectability of accounts receivable," Mr. Kinnard stated.

The president reviewed changes in structure of ward rates, which, after increase, "compare favorably with any in the province and are lower than most. Under the R.C.H. Annual Hospital (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

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Council Approves Idea of Industrial Committee Here

Ministerial Association Disapproves Of Film Council Showing On Sunday

The suggestion of the Junior Chamber of Commerce that an industrial committee be set up for the City of Vernon, drew commendation as "a sound idea" from Mayor T. R. B. Adams at Monday evening's City Council meeting, when a letter from the Junior Chamber was read. The City Council will send a representative to express its views if the Junior Chamber plans to arrange a meeting.

Another suggestion made by the Jaycees concerns archways for Barnard Avenue. The City Engineer was instructed to make further enquiries regarding their erection, when the subject will be discussed further.

A letter from Vernon Film Council asking approval on the film showing, scheduled for Sunday evening in the Legion Centre and featuring "Home Town Paper," touched off a brisk discussion.

Mayor T. R. B. Adams stated representatives of the Ministerial Association had seen him with regard to the proposed showing.

"It would be foolish to go over the heads of the Lord's Day Alliance," said Alderman George Melvin.

"The time, 9 p.m., is satisfactory," said Mayor Adams.

"There should be more copies of the film," said Alderman F. V. Harwood, who later in the discussion voiced the opinion that churchgoers could not attend church and be at the Legion Centre by 9 p.m.

Mayor Adams said he had hoped a print of the film would be presented to the local Film Council. Alderman E. Bruce Cousins said that "owing to budget restrictions no more copies were available."

"In the circumstances we cannot give formal approval," said Mayor Adams, "but it is a great shame that after all the cooperation the Council (Continued on Page 3, Col. 5)

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Apples on South African Mart In Excellent Shape

If any Okanagan Valley growers are worried about the condition in which their apples reach far distant markets, word received here by Mrs. Howard James will dispel all fears.

In a recent communication from her nephew, George Dugan, in Johannesburg, Transvaal, South Africa, Mrs. James learned that he had purchased some apples that came from Vernon.

He stated: "We are approximately 9,000 miles away, received your apples in first class condition. They are certainly as good, if not better than those we can grow here."

Two apple wrappers were enclosed in the letter, bearing the trade mark of the Associated Growers, Vernon.

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Rutland Canvass to Probe Want for Domestic Water Gravity System Connection

RUTLAND, Feb. 14.—The subject of domestic water is being given a good deal of consideration in Rutland at this time. A public meeting, held on Monday of last week, resulted in a decision to proceed with a canvass of the community to see how many houses would hook up with a proposed gravity system to serve the entire community.

Some opposition was in evidence from the Belgo district, where they already have their own system. Residents there fear absorption into a larger system might increase their costs.

There was some indifference to the idea also on the part of many who already have their own electric pumping systems. The chairman of the meeting pointed out that the increasing number of wells and septic tanks would soon make the water unfit to drink. Also, the use of sprinkler systems and installation of pipelines in the B.M.I.D. system would lower the water table and cause wells to go dry, increasing the cost by the necessary deepening.

The secretary-manager of the B.M.I.D., Thomas Hughes, outlined the plan which would utilize the B.M.I.D. tunnels as storage, and would cost from \$250,000 to \$300,000.

Several members of the committee were of the opinion that such a system would be the making of Rutland, as it would result in many more people settling in the district.

The meeting unanimously endorsed a resolution that a canvass be undertaken. About 40 questionnaires were turned in at the meeting, all indicating support of the idea.

The B.M.I.D. trustees, at their monthly meeting discussed the matter, and authorized the secretary-manager to approach Kelowna's city engineer to discuss the possibility of linking up the city by a line down the Vernon Road to Kelowna that would supply the city and remove the necessity of pumping from Okanagan Lake.

Chautauqua Held
Under the auspices of the Rutland and Ellison locals of the B.C. F.O.A., a "Chautauqua" series of talks on horticultural subjects was given in the Rutland Community Hall on Thursday afternoon and evening of last week.

A representative of the Industrial Development Bank met with the directors of the Rutland Co-operative Society on Wednesday and Thursday of last week to discuss the society's application for an additional \$25,000 loan.

The regular monthly meeting of the Rutland Women's Institute was held in the Library room of the Community Hall recently. There was an attendance of 21, including visitors, and a good deal of business was transacted.

Mrs. F. Hawkey resigned as convener of the Agriculture committee, which has the responsibility for the annual flower show amongst other duties, and Mrs. F. Oslund was appointed in her place. The chairman, Mrs. George Cross, introduced the speaker for the meeting, Miss Grace White, the District Health Nurse. Miss White gave an interesting and instructive talk on her work in the district; and later answered a number of questions from members.

A new committee was formed, as auxiliary to the local Health Unit and Mrs. Oslund volunteered to act as convener. After the business was concluded, refreshments were served by Mrs. Ruth Urquhart, Mrs. F. Harrison and Mrs. A. W. Gray.

A novel evening's entertainment was provided on Friday at the Community Hall with the presentation of "A Nite in Radioland," by the United Church Young People's organization. Proceeds were in aid of the church building fund.

Postal Service for Kelowna Blasted at Trade Board Meeting

KELOWNA.—Postal service came under fire at the executive meeting of the Kelowna Board of Trade last week in charges that letters addressed to prominent local citizens were being returned to the senders for "better direction."

Another instance was cited when a local resident was insulted by a clerk in the post office after he had requested that a parcel be insured. One local resident complained to a board member that he had lived in Kelowna for over 15 years and that a letter addressed to him had been returned to the sender "address unknown."

The mail delivery service was not unduly criticized as board members appreciated the handicap under which postal employees are working due to adverse weather conditions.

Kelowna Defers Move On School Estimates

KELOWNA.—At the suggestion of trustees of School District No. 23, estimates for the coming year will be deferred for about two weeks, pending the outcome of a board of arbitration between the trustees and the school teachers of this district.

Under the Municipal Act, school estimates must be submitted to City Council by February 15. Trustees pointed out there are so many arbitration boards sitting at the present time, estimates probably could not be in by the middle of the month.

Annual Hospital

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I.B., we understand hospitals will be paid on the basis of a rate fixed and there will be considerable supervision from the office of the Insurance Commissioner.

"All services increased over 1941." Total number of patients was 3,116. Total number of hospital days increased over 4,000 to 23,499. There was an average of 78 patients a day. Over 400 babies were born in the hospital.

The local hospital insurance scheme, changes in operation procedure and progress on the new building were also discussed by Mr. Kinnard.

There was good news for the city's ratepayers in that they will not be called upon to contribute anything further than the amount previously provided in the bylaw, \$233,333, for the new hospital finances. Provincial Government will contribute one-third, \$178,000 and the Federal fund will release \$115,000. This totals about \$293,000.

Individuals and societies sponsoring wards in the new hospital were commended as was the Women's Hospital Auxiliary "which has made substantial contributions to equipment and supplies."

"Exceptional Progress"
Frank Becker, vice-president and chairman of the building committee detailed the "exceptional progress" on the new hospital construction and paid tribute to A. Christensen, building superintendent. He told of "extras" that had been added, such as a water softener, increased storage space, blood bank and others.

Alderman David Howie, chairman of the finance committee, spoke of the debt to Mr. Kinnard through his "good business sense and personal contact" in securing financial assistance from the governments.

Donations to the ward furnishings fund were reviewed by A. Berner, chairman of that committee, and told of other details as outlined in previous issues of The Vernon News.

Proposals to change the bylaws and constitution of the Association provoked a steady flow of comment from the citizens. Suggested changes will not be finalized until brought before another meeting on March 25, at which the completed financial statement will be reviewed.

Decisions were reached to reduce the membership fee to one dollar and notify members when fees are due, and that representatives named by organizations on payment of \$5 membership fee can attend board meetings but cannot vote.

First change discussed was that of size for the directorate. Mr. Kinnard expressed the opinion, which had received other support, that the directorate of 21 members, plus those appointed by groups, was too unwieldy.

"Not Good Enough"
Regarding membership in the Association, Mr. Kinnard deplored the membership of 75 "which is not good enough." Reduction of fees was suggested because "it is not money we want, it is interest in the hospital."

Varied opinions were offered pro and con regarding lowering the membership fee to one dollar or keeping it at \$2.50. On motion of Dr. H. Campbell-Brown, the fee was lowered.

A nominating committee to bring in names for the annual election of officers was suggested but defeated.

At the close of the meeting, unanimous approval was given the proposal by Alderman Fred Harwood that life membership in the Association be granted to Dr. Norman Strong, former Vernon physician, and Dr. F. E. Pettman. Frank Valair also proposed life membership for Joe Harwood, who served the hospital for some 20 years. This also was passed.

Mrs. J. Kermode asked that a plaque be featured at the new hospital stating the site was donated by Samuel Polson, pioneer city resident. Mr. Polson donated the land for the hospital and also \$1,000 to commence work on the present building. This will be done.

Enderby News Notes
The thermometer dipped to 25 below zero on Saturday night, with a heavy snowfall on Sunday and Monday. Five feet of snow is reported at the Tipton Mill in the Mabel Lake district. This has been the longest cold spell experienced in Enderby for many years, according to long-time residents. The snowfall is almost record depth.

Many people have been experiencing the current difficulty of ice on roofs with water backing up and leaking into the interior of dwellings.

Miss Gladys Beck has returned home after some weeks spent in Winnipeg.

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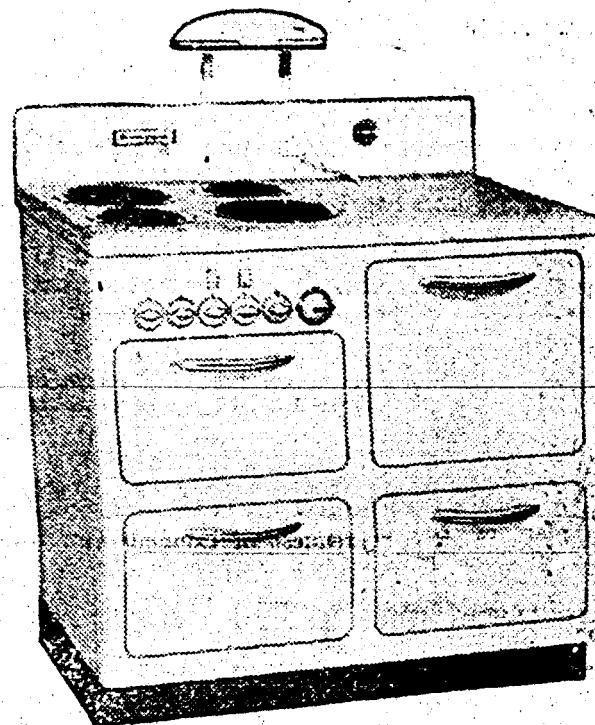
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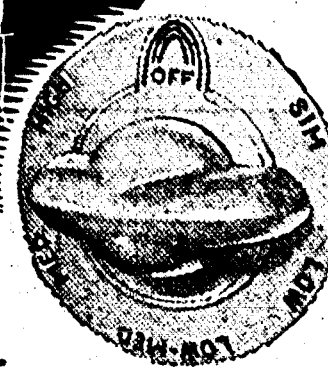
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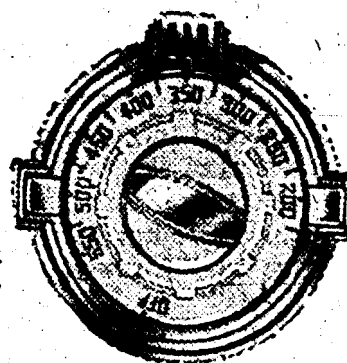


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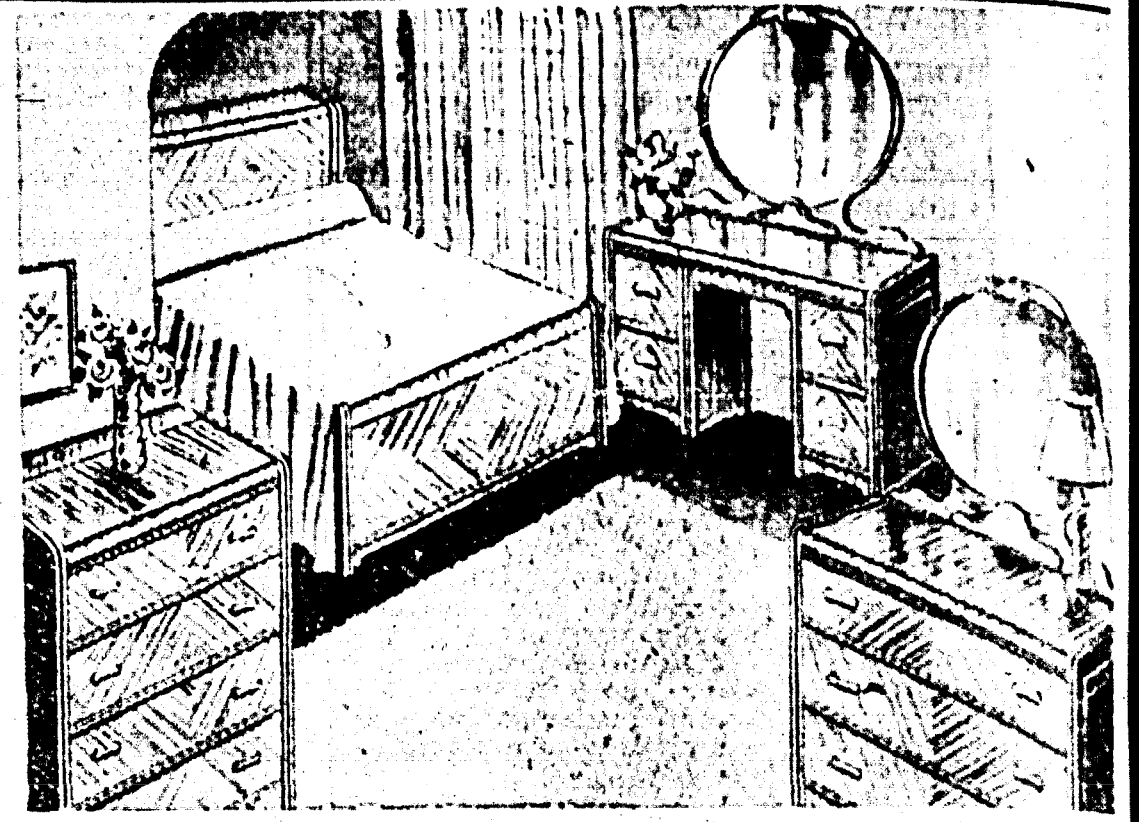
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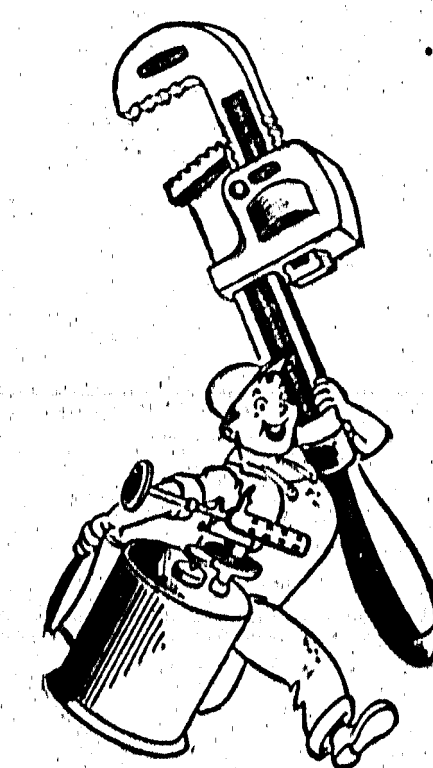
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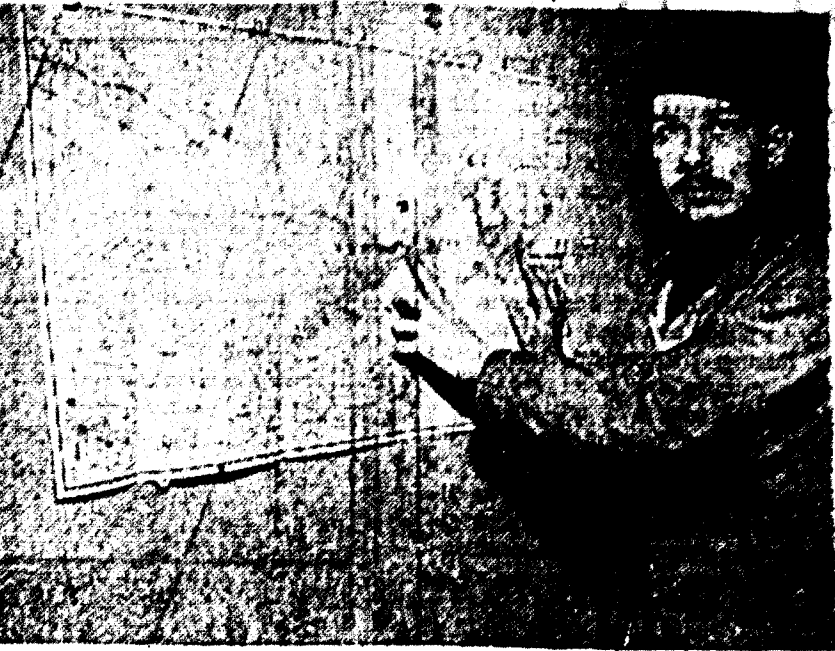
ENDERBY, Feb. 14.—Fire completely destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hornell at North Enderby on Thursday of last week about 8:30 p.m.
The cause of the blaze is undetermined. All contents of the house were destroyed. The family was out visiting at the time of the fire. Neighbors who rushed to the scene feared some of the children might be in bed.
Local organizations and friends have been sponsoring showers and donations this week to assist the family in their loss.

Support Christian

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voluntary method. He referred to this "dark side, political prisoners who are eliminated from life, dishonest tactics" employed by Communists on this continent and their "methods of terror."
"Communists have no moral scruples of any kind. They possess the spirit of sacrifice for what they believe is true. There is their strength today. They believe the method is revolution and they are willing to pay the price for it."
The main issues between Communism and Christianity are atheistic absolutism, methods of dealing with opponents, and the ultimate status of the individual.
"There is no God other than man himself—the movement will bring redemption. The practical idolatry leaves people unprepared for the evils that result. It is a false optimism. In the methods of dealing with opponents, under the atheist Bolsheviks, anything justifies the end."
In the ultimate status of persons, all interest is lost in the dignity and freedom of man.
"Christianity then is a threat. The only effective voice to stem the coming of Communism is the Church."

Was Done Before
Bishop Clark told the Rotarians how Christianity had blocked oppression and tyranny before. Christian principles related the despotism of the Roman Empire in the first century, the Barbarian hordes in the 10th century, the Mohammedan invasions in the 14th century and they will resist Communism in this 20th century.
"This foe we are now facing is more insidious and more widespread."

"My appeal to you is to remember that as soon as we come under Communist domination there are no such things as Rotary and good fellowship," Bishop Clark concluded.
Gypsum is added to Portland cement in the final grinding process to regulate the setting time of the cement.
Inflorescence in plants is the manner in which their flowers are arranged.



From Sea to Sea—On Foot

To Earl Mitchell, who has walked from Vancouver to Montreal in 95 days, the remaining 1,000 miles to Halifax are no worry—he can do it in a month. At least, so he hopes.
Annoyed by traffic tie-ups, late trains or upset airplane schedules? Take a tip from 28-year-old Earl Mitchell: use your feet. What's more, Earl practices what he preaches—he has just walked from Vancouver to Montreal, 2,813 miles by railway, but close to 5,000 miles by foot, mostly along the Trans-Canada highway.
Mitchell, a native of Brandon, Man., and a veteran of both the Canadian Army Service Corps and the merchant marine, wants to prove that young Canadians are sturdier than they think. His formula is simple: get up at dawn, walk 40 miles a day, have one good meal in the afternoon and a good night's rest.

Trotters on Swan Lake Ice Provided Thrills in 1899

Picture a half mile stretch of snow covered ice on Swan Lake... a group of spectators, clad in fur coats, huddled in fur robes and wildly waving gloved hands... hear the roars of the crowd hit the peak of crescendo as three trotters, pulling light cutters, flow across the finish line.
There you have thrills in one of the heats at the mid-winter race meet held at Swan Lake half a century ago—February 18, 1899.
An article in The Vernon News, a week previous to that date, stated: "The ice is in capital condition and every trail in the Valley will lead to Swan Lake on Wednesday. Owners of every local horse of any prominence have promised to enter and are now busily preparing their horses. Outside entries are confidently expected."
Each race was for a purse of \$50-70 percent going to the winner and the remainder second place trotter. All events were half mile heats, best two out of three.
The judges were F. Morrow, S. C. Smith and E. Goulet. H. Chapman and H. Mealy were the starters.
"Good Natured" Crowd
The crowd was a "good natured one and pretty well divided in its opinion regarding the merits of the various trotters."
The first race was for colts of 1896-7 and three entries went to the post. They were W. H. Lawrence's "Star Imperial," M. J. O'Brien's "Vickey," D. McIntyre's "Jesse Martin." Star Imperial was the winner in 1:54.
C. Lefroy's "Bonner," H. Knight's "Enderby Boy," and B. P. Young's "George" were in the second race with the latter winning \$35 for the time of 1:27.
"The free for all was the race about which most interest was manifested. Cameron's "Tribby" and Megaw's "Bill S." each had many admirers, all of whom felt confident that they could pick the winner.
In the first heat, "Bill S." was hatched too close to the cutter and struck against the draw bar, so that they only jogged in. The judges decided to call this "no heat" and they started afresh with "Tribby" being the winner.
The first of these heats was a pretty race, the horses keeping close together until near the close when "Tribby" won by a length. In the second heat, "Tribby" came in an easy winner.
This must have been a great sport in the late '90s and for a lack of cutters and trotters it would go well as an attraction in these days.

New Zoning Bylaw Up Before Special Meet Of City Planners
A special meeting of the Town Planning Commission will be held this afternoon, Thursday, for further discussion on matters currently before both the City Council and the commission, including the new zoning bylaw.
A letter from the commission with various submissions was read by the City Council. The proposed subdivision plan as submitted by T. W. Hayes on Pleasant Valley Road remains in abeyance until further clarification regarding lanes is received.
With regard to the proposed subdivision plan as submitted by P. Smith, the commission recommended and the City Council approved that the plan of Lot 2, Map 1839, L. R. Clarke's property, be approved. Another recommendation was that the rough subdivision plan of the East one acre of Lot 3, Map 186, be approved, providing that a plan be prepared and submitted to the Commission.
A newcomer to Vernon, C. R. Taylor, who has done considerable town planning work in London, England, attended a recent meeting of the commission, and expressed his willingness to assist at any time.
H. E. Graham, Director of Regional Planning Division at Victoria, has informed the commission that J. H. Doughty-Davies will come to Vernon in the near future to assist the commission in town planning and a master plan.

Council

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National Film Board received from the people of this town, and considering the fact that they were six weeks making it, we should be told we can only have it for such a short time."
The time allowed for the film to be shown in Vernon is three days, and it will not be available again until 1952. Only one-fifth of the shots are used in the film, declared the Mayor.
At a meeting of the Film Council executive on Tuesday night, with Rev. G. W. Payne in attendance, members decided to hold the showing as plans had all been completed. Legal advice was given to the effect the Council was not violating the law.
While expressing appreciation of assistance in the past, the Vernon Public Library Association asks for continuation of such help. This matter will be discussed before making up estimates.
The Okanagan Municipal Association will hold its annual meeting at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday at Penticton, with that city as host municipality. Mayor Adams, Alderman E. B. Cousins and Alderman David Howie intend to go as representatives from Vernon.

Conciliation Officer Named Between City Contractor and Union

A. C. A. Baker has been appointed Conciliation Officer between the Carpenters and Joiners of America, Brotherhood Number 1340, A.F.L., and James Moebes, Vernon contractor. This information was released in the British Columbia Labor Relations weekly summary of activities last week.
Sammy Baugh marks his 12th season with the Washington football Redskins.
The population of the earth increases approximately 20,000,000 annually.

Architect Brings Town Planning Experience Here

Taken out of the British Army in 1944 to serve as technical advisor to the Ministry of Town and Country Planning for the replanning and reconstruction of London, C. Robert Taylor, architect and town planner, brings a varied career in these positions to this city.
Mr. Taylor recently came to Vernon from Roseland and has taken a position with a local architectural firm. Believing his vast experience will be a help, Mr. Taylor hopes to assist in work of the Vernon Town Planning Commission.
Born in Guernsey on the Channel Islands, Mr. Taylor received school and university education and gained Oxford and Cambridge certificates, an Army Commission certificate and awards in art, literature, draftsmanship and architecture.
A versatile athlete, he represented Guernsey in swimming, football, cricket, shooting and athletics.
He entered technical civil service in architecture and engineering and after five years resigned to go into private practice as architect and town planner for the Guernsey Islands.
With Canadian Army
In September, 1939, he enlisted with the Royal Engineers and was posted to Engineer Services at the War Office. In 1940, he was made technical liaison officer to the Canadian Army Overseas and served in this capacity for four years.
While advisor in London planning, Mr. Taylor travelled 60,000 miles through the greater London region advising local authorities on their planning problems. He also served as a Parliamentary Planning Committee with heads of government departments.
Family Escapes Capture
When Germany was occupied by the Nazis in 1940, Mr. Taylor's wife and children narrowly escaped capture. They were assisted to England where they remained until the end of the war.
Having formed many close associations with Canadians in the war, Mr. Taylor decided to come out to Canada and "give the children the benefit of this country's many advantages."
He accepted a technical position with C.M. and S. in Trail but resigned in 1947 to practice as an architect in Roseland. In that city he gave many addresses on town planning and public service at the request of Councils and Boards of Trade. He also wrote articles for the local newspapers.
The effect of the high altitude at Roseland upon a head wound suffered during the war, forced Mr. Taylor to leave the district and plan to return overseas.
"However, at the eleventh hour, I heard the praises of Vernon sung on several sides. I decided to investigate for myself and when I did, I realized this is where I should have come in the first place."

Reduce Price of Fuel Oil 15 Cents Barrel

Effective February 4, Standard of British Columbia announces reductions in the price of fuel oil. These reductions will range from five cents to 15 cents per barrel, depending on the grade of fuel oil involved.
For the majority of apartment house and hotel consumers, which take delivery by tank trucks, the new set price will be lower by 45 cents per gallon, 15 cents per barrel. In conjunction with the price cuts, Standard is reducing the number of grades of fuel oil being marketed, from three to two.

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Many Questions

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The Americans are recommending copper sprays to prevent infection in flowers but this is tricky to do because all the flowers do not open at the same time.

Perennial canker still threatens serious trouble in Newtowns, Romes, some Delicous and Jonathans. If woolly aphids are kept off the canker during the season, no spread of the disease will take place. This blight also causes a rot on apples which is just coming up now on those in storage.

Colored alides were used to illustrate the various points and diseased parts of trees were examined.

Crown Rot

Crown rot destroys the collar of the trees and likes moist soil. This is difficult to isolate but the recommendation is to clean out the soil around the trees and let the sun in to dry out the tissue.

On bitter pit, "we know no more than we did 10 or 15 years ago."

Brown rot appeared in epidemic form in some orchards last fall. This disease is tied up with weather conditions and weather factors control it. It has not caused much serious damage.

Dr. Marshall, speaking on sprays and spray machinery, used a color movie for his portion of the program. This illustrated various performances by different types of spray machinery in Valley orchards.

Speaking of sprays, Dr. Marshall dealt in detail with Parathion, which is "a very potent insecticide originated by the Germans. Americans spent millions of dollars in its development and the Experimental Station has been working with this insecticide for two years. Growers Warned

Growers were warned to have a "very healthy respect" for Parathion because of its danger to humans. They were advised to consult the district horticulturists before using the new chemical. In comparison with DDT, wherever this is weak, Parathion is strong and vice versa. The latter was hailed as the "best material ever tried on pear psylla" although it is not very good for codling moth. It is also excellent for aphids and mite control.

Speakers at the evening session were Ben Hoy, supervising horticulturist, Kelowna; J. C. Wilcox, plant nutritionist, Summerland; J. Smith, district horticulturist, Kelowna; and G. E. Brown, secretary-treasurer, B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd., Kelowna.

J. K. Watson introduced the speakers and Mr. Hoy acted as chairman of the meeting. The first speaker, Mr. Smith, gave a brief summary of work carried out on blossom chemical thinning of tree fruits with the Di-nitro compounds. This subject created great interest and resulted in numerous questions. Growers were warned to start with small blocks of biennial bearing varieties and heavy crop trees.

The use and value of orchard cover crops were next discussed and a great deal of information imparted on such crops as alfalfa, sweet clover, ladino and white dutch clovers and various grasses. The speaker stated that whatever kind of cover crop was used, the main object should be maintenance of heavy yields of organic matter.

In dealing with fertilizers, questions brought out the greatest limiting factor in Okanagan soils was lack of nitrogen.

Consistent Pruning

Mr. Hoy discussed the need of proper and consistent pruning to help maintain trees in vigor and its effect on the production of high quality fruit.

Mr. Wilcox outlined the causes and dangers of soil erosion. This subject was illustrated by slides showing badly eroded areas in some Okanagan orchards and effect on the trees. This speaker also stressed the need of maintaining cover crops to obviate the danger of erosion.

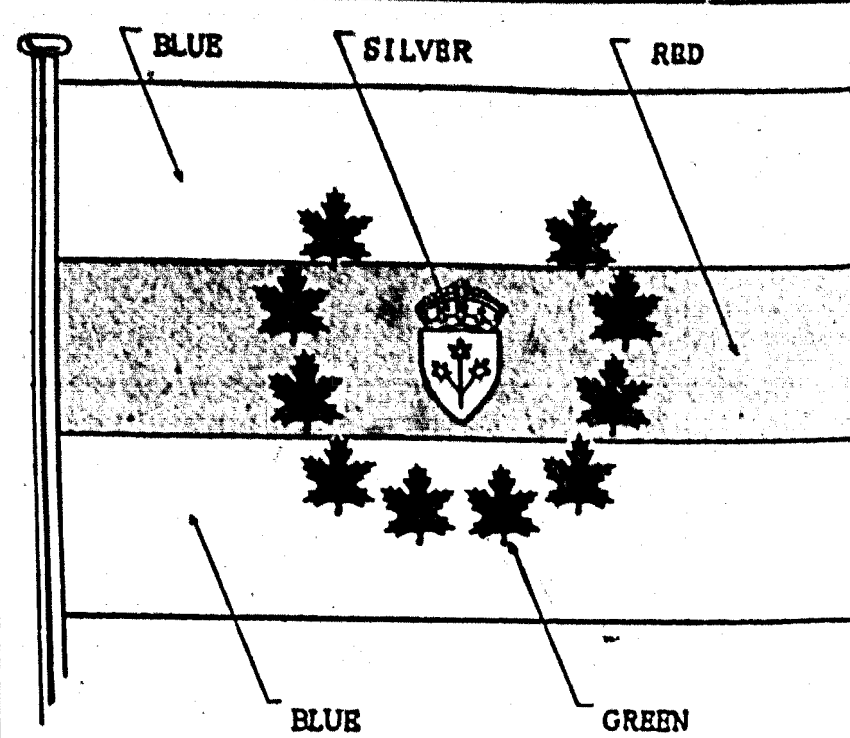
Also illustrated were different types of sprinkler systems in operation in the Valley and numerous questions were presented on such points as advantage and disadvantage of sprinkler systems compared with furrow irrigation, diseases such as apple mildew and apple scab, amount of water used per irrigation, distribution of soil moisture, types of equipment, and length of sprinkling periods.

Mr. Brown, Tree Fruits representative, gave a very interesting and concise presentation of the marketing situation and problems of the 1948 season, pointing out some of the difficulties encountered by the effects on fruit, of the unusually cold and wet season. The speaker also emphasized the growing problem of satisfactory disposal of local maturity and cee grade fruit. He appealed to the growers to do everything possible in the production and handling of their fruit to reduce this problem to a minimum.

4 Months for Theft Of Coal From Box Car

Scavenging coal from a box car around midnight on Monday proved costly for Joe Simard of this city when he appeared before Magistrate Frank Smith in City Police Court on Tuesday. He will serve four months' imprisonment for the theft.

Maximum penalty for theft from rail cars in and around railways in 14 years.



Montreal M.P.'s New Flag Design

A bill to provide for a national flag of Canada has been given its first reading in Parliament this session. Introduced by Roland Beaudry, member of Parliament for St. James, it embodies the service-man's badge the maple leaf and red and blue horizontal stripes.

Armstrong Red Cross Has Year Of Achievement

At the annual meeting of the Armstrong branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, held on February 10, R. M. Ecclestone was elected president, succeeding Mrs. J. L. Hopkins.

Vice-president is A. E. Hardy; secretary-treasurer, Miss Dorothy Bird. Chairmen of standing committees are as follows: women's work committee, Mrs. J. L. Hopkins; purchasing committee, Mrs. H. Meade; transportation committee, J. H. Wilson; publicity, J. Jamieson, Ed.

Splendid reports were heard from all committees. The work committee chairman reported that 6,000 articles have been sent from Armstrong Branch during 1948, and she stressed the fact that overseas need for clothes and quilts was still urgent.

Mrs. Hopkins presided. In giving her report as chairman of the work committee, she said that although the membership had fallen off during the past year, there are about 65 members, including seven circles, doing sewing, knitting and quilt making, as well as blood plasma dressings. A group from Enderby has joined the Armstrong workers recently.

In the absence of Mrs. J. Muriel, chairman of the purchasing committee, Mrs. Hopkins read her report. Materials received by the branch during 1948 included 300 yards of gauze for dressings; 501 yards of material for sewing; 47 pounds of wool for knitting and 22 pounds of absorbent cotton for dressings.

In giving the financial report, Miss Dorothy Bird said that total receipts for 1948 totalled \$1,394. Of this sum, \$1,321.70 resulted from the membership drive.

Expenses for the 12 month period were \$220, of which \$140 is for rent, \$25 for light, and \$30.50 for lighting fires in the rooms.

Miss Bird read the report of A. W. Wilson, chairman of the Blood Donor Service. The Clinic was held in Armstrong April 28, and was a "great success." The response to this one call was described as "magnificent, and very gratifying." Approximately 130 persons donated blood.

"Armstrong and District can be justifiably proud of the Clinic, as we had a better than average response to cards and a larger percentage of volunteers than was the case in other centres where comparison was made," Mr. Wilson's report read.

Swimming, Water Safety

A good report was read from the Swimming and Water Safety committee. On August 25, A. Chetwynd, Red Cross Field Supervisor for swimming and water safety, conducted examinations at Armstrong, when 50 boys and girls were presented with awards. The instructor D. Goulebeuf, was praised for his work during the summer. Acting on the committee for 1948 were Mr. Ecclestone, Mrs. Hopkins, and Charles Tremblay.

An inspiring account of the activities of the Junior Red Cross of the Armstrong High School, was read by Miss Mary Ash.

Mrs. Page Brown was chosen as delegate to the Provincial meeting now in session at Vancouver.

J. H. Wilson took the chair for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

"Housekeeping" Plan For Kelowna Hospital Patients Successful

KELOWNA. — The Kelowna Housekeeping Service, formed two years ago for the express purpose of assisting patients who do not require hospital treatment, has given about \$7,000 worth of service to the community as a result of an initial outlay of \$2,500. This statement was made by R. P. Walrod, a member of the hospital board, at the annual meeting of the Kelowna Hospital Society recently. Mr. Walrod said the service has been functioning smoothly since the drive for funds was made two years ago, and stated the second campaign, held last December, resulted in \$1,402 being raised, which will be sufficient to see the housekeeping service carry on for another year.

Portland cement was first used in the United States in 1872, just 48 years after the invention of the product in England. A large part of the Venezuelan aristocracy is of French descent and its members are nicknamed Monlu.

Sunday to Open

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Vernon District: the First and Second Vernon Packs: First Coldstream and First Okanagan Landing Packs. Mothers of the Brownies are invited.

The week will conclude with a Church Parade at All Saints' Church on Sunday, February 22, for all Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Brownies at 10:45 a.m. The church parade for the Okanagan Landing Scouts, Cubs, Guides and Brownies will be held that afternoon in the Community Hall, Okanagan Landing.

Some store windows in Vernon will be decorated, and other features are planned to bring Scout-Guide Week to the attention of Vernon people.

Canadian Boy Scout membership totals 103,750, and Girl Guide membership is 63,122.

The new chief commissioner for Canada, Mrs. D. E. B. Whart, will be in Victoria for the annual Provincial meeting on March 11 to 13. The Vernon Guide Association hopes to have as many local Guides as possible attend.

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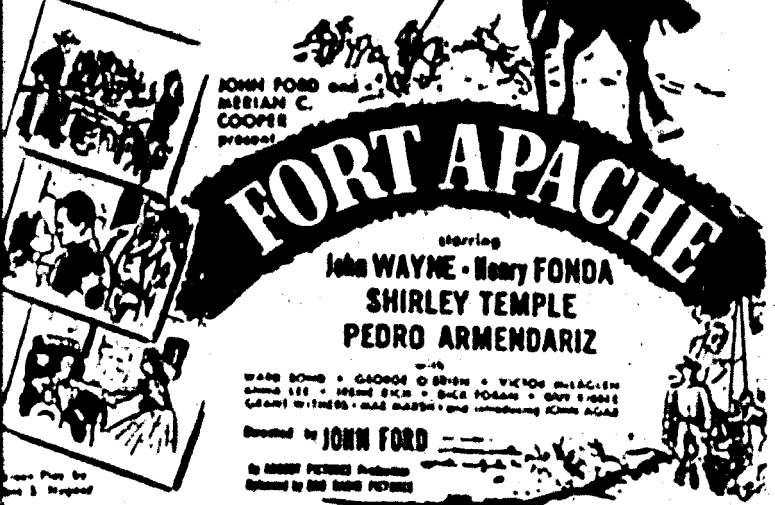
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Town and District

P. G. Gardiner, architect for the new Vernon Jubilee Hospital, was in Vernon last week on business. He returned to Vancouver on Thursday.

Harold J. Fawcotte, president of the Vernon Board of Trade, attended the annual banquet of the Kamloops Board of Trade last evening, Wednesday.

Vernon friends of Mrs. R. S. Ferguson, a Prince George resident, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ferguson, of this city, will be glad to know that she is recuperating satisfactorily in the northern city, after her recent illness.

Dolph Browne, George Stuart, Bill Sigale, Harry Turnbull, Linwood Valair, Vernon Mehla, Jack Scott and G. E. Howes returned to this city on Sunday afternoon from Banff where they attended the 42nd Annual Banff Curling Bouspiel.

Kenneth Sparkes arrived in Vernon from Vancouver late Sunday evening, being met at Salmon Arm by his brother-in-law, E. "Gene" Clarke. He came to Vernon owing to the illness of his mother, Mrs. W. J. Sparkes, and was the guest while in this city of Mr. and Mrs. Clarke at his mother's home.

Clive H. Reid left Vernon for Vancouver on Tuesday evening. While at the Coast city, he will attend the annual meeting of the B.C. Division for the Canadian Red Cross Society as official delegate from the Vernon branch of which Mr. Reid is president. Meetings commenced this morning, Thursday, continuing through Friday. Mr. Reid hopes to return Saturday.

When Mr. Rev. E. P. Clark, Bishop of Kootenay, was in Vernon over the weekend, he was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. L. A. C. Smith, All Saints' Rectory, on Saturday and Sunday. On Sunday night he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. O. Harrison, Okanagan Lake. Bishop Clark left Vernon late Monday evening for Kelowna, continuing on Tuesday morning for Nelson, where he resides.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Beckett, who have been holidaying in Vernon for several weeks, from Churchill, Man., where Mr. Beckett is superintendent of the Harbor Board, will now visit in Chilliwack, where Mr. Beckett's sister resides, en route to Vancouver and Victoria to stay until the end of March. Mrs. Beckett leaves for the Coast this evening, Thursday. Her husband preceded her a few days ago.

T. Ralph Bulman, H. D. Weatherill, Harland Fisher, E. T. Buffum, Bob Nelson and Eddie Quinn left last week for Vancouver, where they are attending the annual Canned Food Association convention. Next week the National Canners' Association convention will hold its annual session in Vancouver. Mr. Bulman is president of the association and will preside at the meetings. The remainder of his staff are expected to return the beginning of next week.

George Knowles, of Vancouver, spent Friday in Vernon on business.

A. L. Wright, B.C. Manager of Sun Life Insurance Company, spent yesterday, Wednesday, on business in Vernon.

John McDonald left for Vancouver yesterday afternoon, Wednesday, where he intends to take up residence.

Mrs. A. Alsworth, of Calgary, arrived in the city recently to spend a vacation with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Porter.

Miss Bernice Baum returned to her Vernon home on Tuesday of last week after spending a holiday with relatives and friends in Calgary, Alta.

Sergeant-major E. W. Cooper and Sergeant P. Bueckert returned to Vernon, yesterday, Wednesday, after attending the Wainwright Military Camp.

B. E. Shaver was a business visitor in Vernon on Monday. Mr. Shaver is manager of the Investment Department, Canada Life Assurance Company, of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Neill and son, Robert, of Port Hardy, are visiting in Vernon at the home of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Quamme.

John R. Hunter, field service representative of the C.U. and C. Health Service Society, was in Vernon last weekend when he spoke at the Vernon and District Credit Union annual meeting.

Mrs. E. Bloom and Mrs. A. Hale, of Edmonton, Alta., have been visiting for the past 10 days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hale, of this city. Mrs. Bloom is Mr. Hale's sister.

Frank F. Becker, president of the British Columbia Amateur Association, returned to his home in this city after spending several days in Trail conferring with B.C.A.A. officials.

R. D. Douglas, president of the Vernon Lacrosse Association, team returned to Vernon yesterday, Wednesday, from Vancouver where he attended the B.C.L.A. meeting held last week.

John McCulloch, B.C.A.A. Okanagan representative, returned to Vernon last week after spending several days in the Kootenays, meeting with other B.C.A.A. officials.

C. A. Hayden, who left Vernon for the Coast on February 5, is expected home this weekend. While in Vancouver, Mr. Hayden attended a meeting of the directors of the B.C. Federation of Agriculture, of which he is secretary.

W. J. Hicks, manager of the W. H. Falkin Company, left Sunday on a business trip to Revelstoke. He is expected to return this weekend.

P. Webber, of Kelowna, was a business visitor to Vernon on Monday.

Jack Reid, S. P. Seymour, Harold Fox, James Moebes, T. F. Adams, Charles Goodenough, Fred Dechamps, and Les Viel returned to Vernon on Sunday after spending several days in Trail attending the British Columbia Curling Consols. During their stay in the smelter city, the local curlers were taken through the C.M. and S. Plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morris left on Friday evening of last week for the Coast. Their daughter, June, is attending school in Mission. Mr. and Mrs. Morris now will make their home in New Westminster.

Leaving for Vancouver and Victoria on Saturday night was Mrs. C. Simpson, who has been staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rathjen, of Coldstream, for the past few weeks, on furlough from Trinidad. While at the Coast, where she will spend a month, Mrs. Simpson will attend two missionary conventions in connection with the Pentecostal Assembly of Canada.

In Vernon for three days this week, was Miss Marjorie Smith, of the University Extension Department at Vancouver. She showed films in Lavington on Monday; to Vernon P.T.A. on Tuesday; and in Coldstream on Wednesday; all on recreation and leisure time occupations for children. Miss Smith has just completed a tour of the Kootenays. An interesting point is that she was a student at the University of London, England, at the same time as Miss Anna Fulton, of Vernon, and for a time they resided at the same hostel.

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LETTERS Of General Interest

"Record Real Regret"
Editor, The Vernon News: Sir:
A number of the ministers of well-known Christian congregations in Vernon have asked me to write you on their behalf.

We must record our real regret that the picture "Home Town Paper" is to be shown in Vernon on a Sunday evening, and that tickets are being sold for admission.

The Vernon Film Council is doing a very worthwhile job in this community, and in arranging for the showing of this picture in particular it deserves the real appreciation of all residents. But it is most regrettable that it should violate the law of the land while doing us this favor. Nevertheless, the selling of tickets for a Sunday entertainment is a specific infraction of one of Canada's most valuable social laws, and indirectly it plays into the hands of commercialized interests which in some less fortunate countries have succeeded in depriving thousands of workmen of their unified day of rest and worship.

We have made representations to the Vernon Film Council, and we are not unsympathetic to their plea that present plans are now too far publicized to be withdrawn. But we hope this incident will help to guide us and all organizations whose good intentions might lead them to overstep the rights of the community as protected by the law of the land (for the present encroachment is only slightly different from others which should not go unchallenged).

In the meantime, we express our deep regret at being deprived of

our privilege of seeing our "Home Town" on the screen, especially as some of us are members of the Film Council. And while there is little doubt there will still be a large attendance of the less thoughtful of our neighbors, we hope it will be realized that a goodly number of citizens, though proud of their city, and active in all that prospers it, will forego the pleasure, rather than support the breaking of the law and the eventual undermining of one of Canada's cherished institutions, the day of rest.

On behalf of at least nine of the ministers of Vernon,
Yours truly,
THEO. T. GIBSON.
Vernon, B.C.
February 16, 1949.

"A Bouquet"
Editor, The Vernon News: Sir:
Through the medium of your "Letters" column, I would like to express appreciation of the condition in which Vernon streets have been kept this winter.

It should be needless to say anything about the winter. In spite of it, I've never known our streets to be in nicer shape. (For comparison, drive to any other interior town.)
The grading and sanding must have required a good deal of planning and a great many odd working hours. Too many of us are inclined to take things like this for granted.

A bouquet then, to all concerned. It is well deserved in my opinion.
FRANK BALDOCK.
1903 32nd Ave., Vernon.
February 4, 1949.

Prominent Local Cricketer Dies

A prominent figure in local cricket circles, William Forward, 62, died in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital yesterday, Wednesday, after a three-month illness.

Mr. Forward was born in England and came to Canada over 35 years ago. He resided 25 years in this district.

He served in the First Great War with the Canadian Army and was a familiar figure to members of the Oyama Branch of the Canadian Legion.

Mr. Forward was always a keen follower of cricket and a member of the Farmer Eleven when they were in the local league. Funeral services will be held from the Campbell and Winter Chapel tomorrow, Friday, at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. M. W. Lees, of the Kelowna United Church, will officiate at the service, while the Oyama Legion will be in charge of burial arrangements.

Mr. Forward is survived by a brother and sister, both of whom are residing in England.

Lions Entertain Blind People At Dinner Meeting

As part of the national program in connection with White Cane Week, the Vernon Lions Club had as their guests several local blind people at their regular dinner meeting held in the National Hotel on Monday.

During the evening a short address was given by each of the blind people. The members were particularly impressed by the ability of the various guests in making themselves useful to the community and helping in their own support.

These local blind people range in age from a 14 year old boy to a 78 year old woman. Not all of the blind in the district could arrange to be present but those attending expressed their delight in having an evening out.

Clarence Hembling, district representative for the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, enlightened the members as to the activities of the Institute in their care of the blind throughout Canada, and the meaning of "White Cane Week."

Penticton Gaining On Frozen Services

PENTICTON.—Figures given by the City Engineer at last week's council meeting showed that only 27 services remain to be thawed throughout the city, from the all-time high of 358 freeze-ups reported.

In addition to this high total, there were 55 repeat freeze-ups, making a total of 413 reported to the engineer's department since the cold weather disrupted water communications and services.

Recovery of Britain Told Kamloops Club

KAMLOOPS.—Martin Ratcliff, Rotarian K. M. Ratcliff's father, spoke to the Kamloops Rotary Club members on Monday giving them his personal view of the existing conditions in England. Mr. Ratcliff is a resident of Leamington Spa, England, where he heads a metal manufacturing firm.

A frequent visitor to Canada and the United States, Mr. Ratcliff has had ample opportunity to assess the relative progress of his own and the North American countries since the turn of the century. His views are expressed from the management level and as such are not in accord with the present political and economic policy in England.

England today, after two major wars, finds itself in a totally unexpected position, he said. The anticipated gradual and steady improvement in economic conditions has not materialized. Instead of improving, conditions in the U.K. have deteriorated.

The Labor government is pressing for increased production for export but it continues to place restrictions on the use of coal, electricity and raw materials needed to step up production, Mr. Ratcliff said.

Industry, despite these handicaps, has done a tremendous amount to expand the U.K.'s export trade. The home market, however, has been almost totally neglected. Workers, as a result of this neglect, have lost much of their ambition and initiative. They see no point in working industriously to better their position when the possible increased earnings cannot be spent at home. The result of this lack of incentive, according to Mr. Ratcliff, is that many young men are attracted to positions such as the civil service.

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Vernon Skater Joins Ice Show
Word was received in Vernon yesterday, Wednesday, that Marshall Garrett, prominent member of the Vernon Skating Club, and son of Mrs. A. Garrett, of this city, has signed a contract with the Ice Cycle shows and has left for Edmonton, Alta., first stopping point in the show's tour of Canada and the U.S.A.

Another member of the Garrett family, Rod, has notified his mother of his arrival in England, where he will study art.

A plant for the production of rose oil has recently been established at Mook in the Netherlands; the first of its kind in the country.

Blinding Snow Fall Causes Collision Near Duck Lake
WINFIELD, Feb. 15.—On Thursday of last week while Ralph Berry Jr. was driving on the main highway along Duck Lake in a blinding snow storm whipped up by a strong wind, he was in a head on collision with the Department of Public Works' snow plough. Visibility was so poor Berry had stopped and turned on his car lights. Minutes after the accident occurred.

Damage to the car was extensive but the occupants, Mrs. Ralph Berry, Jr. and daughter Margaret and the driver's sister, Mrs. H. Roberge, received only minor bruises.

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New Church At Winfield Total Loss Through Fire

WINFIELD, Feb. 15.—Fire completely destroyed the United Church at Winfield at 11:30 a.m. on Sunday. The building and contents were a total loss.

Two fires had been lighted in the heaters for the Sunday School and church service in the afternoon and the fire is thought to have been caused by overheated pipes.

The new addition had been completed only last fall and the dedication service conducted by

Dr. H. W. Lees, Kelowna, was held two weeks ago.

The fire was first noticed by Ralph Berry, who lives nearby, and with W. Lodge. He obtained fire extinguishers from the Winfield School. On entering the building they found smoke so dense they were unable to do anything.

The old church building which was used for Sunday School had been moved to the present site from Ellison in 1932 where it had been a familiar landmark for many

years.

Three weeks ago, Mrs. E. L. Clement had presented an organ to the church, and this, as well as the old one, was destroyed.

Cwing to overcrowding at the Winfield Elementary School, Miss Weddell's Grade II pupils held regular school classes in the Sunday School room. All the children's books and classroom equipment were destroyed.

The new addition had been made possible largely through a donation from the Metcalfe family, and many hours of volunteer labor from members of the community. The building was covered by \$3,000 insurance.

On Sunday afternoon the congre-

gation of the United Church met in the Winfield School and a committee was set up to draw up plans for a new building to replace the one destroyed by fire.

This committee is meeting at once and plans will be submitted to the congregation in the shortest possible time.

Arrangements for holding services will be made at once and notice will be given as soon as they are completed.

The porous air-filled quilts keep him afloat even if he should fall asleep in the water.

The first colonial conference was held in London in 1887, the year of Queen Victoria's Jubilee.



They're Single, Too

This group of single girls is part of a crowd of 360 immigrants who arrived in Montreal recently. The group includes domestics and garment workers who will find employment in Canada, some in Quebec Province. The above group was made up

mostly of Estonians, Latvians and Ukrainians. Father S. Frederickson of the United Lutheran Church of Montreal (centre) was on hand to meet the immigrants.

Proposed Insurance Change Opposed by Oyama Legion

A resolution was adopted at the February meeting of the Oyama Branch Number 189 of the Canadian Legion, in protest to the proposed amendments to the Unemployment Insurance Act which are intended to declare the fruit industry as of a seasonal nature, thus destroying any chance of packing house workers from obtaining any benefits from the Act.

A letter of protest will be written to all branches in the Okanagan Valley, asking their help in preventing the passing of these amendments.

During the past month, two new members, S. M. Macdonald and W. C. Carr, were welcomed to the Branch.

Presentation of Past Officer Medals of the Canadian Legion were made to W. Hayward and R. J. Allingham, who had held the positions of First and Second Vice-Presidents.

Correspondence was read in connection with the application for a wig-wag signal to be installed at the point known as Canal Bridge. The committee in charge had received advice that a traffic count held early in January showed such a request unwarranted.

Ask Second Count
Since weather conditions on the date of the count were the worst known of the district for the past 25 years, the meeting decided to send a letter to the Board of Railway Commissioners in Ottawa pointing out this fact and requesting a more representative count be taken.

A brief report by Rev. A. R. Lett advised the gathering that the new Memorial Wing and Tablet were to be dedicated at St. Mary's Anglican Church during Easter. A similar dedication will be held in St. Margaret's Church in Winfield, about the same time. All residents of the Winfield and Okanagan Centre area are invited to attend.

The meeting asked for volunteers who were willing to take a turn at night duty in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital for W. Forward. The shortage of nurses at the hospital has warranted members of the Branch to take night duties. Anyone wishing to do his part in the work is asked to contact president H. W. Byatt.

A Legion social evening is planned for tomorrow night, Friday, and every member should be present. A good evening's entertainment is promised, including dancing and games. Music will be provided by Mrs. A. Beaton Smith and her orchestra, who have consented to entertain free of charge. All money received is to be placed in the Vernon Hospital fund to help pay for the equipping of the Canadian Legion ward.

In closing, a report stated that a \$5 donation had been sent to the Tranquille Branch for the Veterans' Comfort Fund.

Stresses Need for Adult Supervision of Young Gun Carriers

Summing up during a case in Juvenile Court on Tuesday morning, before Magistrate Frank Smith, Game Warden J. P. C. Atwood stressed the absolute need for supervision by an adult over a juvenile who is carrying firearms.

The youth, who was charged with carrying firearms without a license, received suspended sentence.

He was apprehended by Mr. Atwood while shooting at the top of a haystack in the direction of the city. Mr. Atwood emphasized that under supervision of a person over 18, the boy would have been prevented from doing this.

Canning Men to Meet at Coast

The Canadian Food Processors' Association will hold their second annual meeting and convention in the Vancouver Hotel on Monday and Tuesday, T. R. Bulman, president, of Vernon, will preside at the gathering.

The organization was formed nearly three years ago and is composed of manufacturers throughout Canada of canned, frozen and dehydrated fruits, vegetables and meats. Representation in this body is chosen from about 90 percent of the total production.

The functions of the first day of the session will be of general interest, including speakers, luncheon and banquet, leaving the second day for meetings dealing with the Association matters.

Asks Barter

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for fruit and vegetables, where the bulk of produce is sold. Mr. Jones declared, "stabilization of that market merely calls for a sound, sane federal marketing act."

Fruit must be regarded as a long term crop calling for a different type of rules to govern the conduct of its marketing and production, advised the speaker. Through the C.F.A., the industry has submitted a sample act seeking power to market products "in an orderly fashion and to eliminate unfair marketing practices."

Farmers "Impatient"
"The government has had this legislation under advisement for several years—the farmers are becoming impatient," Mr. Jones read to the House a copy of a draft given him by a farm organization, "in simple form but with all the teeth necessary to bring about orderly marketing."

The speaker quoted a newspaper report stating that the Minister of Agriculture, J. G. Gardiner, assured growers in Kelowna the government was prepared to enact federal marketing legislation required.

Believing that the British market is only a temporary loss and that a federal marketing act will be introduced, Mr. Jones declared both of these events will not only bring stability to the industry but also make it possible to consider its extension as well.

Passage of the federal marketing act would offer security to youths on the farms and prevent them leaving the land for "our already overcrowded cities."

Developing a third topic, Mr. Jones asked for protection of Okanagan and Similkameen interests in proposed development for storage of water in Arrow Lakes, the interests to be served being primarily those of the United States.

He urged a reinforced concrete storage dam, so designed that in future it may be used for development of hydro-electric power. He suggested the Okanagan interest be kept in mind, especially during the period of technical studies preceding design and construction and before the international joint commission now considering the proposal.

The Okanagan regional advisory committee believes the two chief sources upon which the population must depend are irrigable land and hydro-electric power.

Mr. Jones termed the area he was dealing with the "irrigation area" in which there had been an influx of nearly 21,000 people in the last six years. This movement continues unabated, he asserted, and causes a high demand for the limited irrigable land, producing a sharp rise in prices.

"Our present limited land cannot carry our population. We must enlarge our irrigation projects and bring new land under water," Quoting figures and comparisons, the speaker called for "a policy based on power to supply water for 35,000 acres at a cheap rate."

"These added 35,000 acres placed under pump irrigation could support a population of at least 30,000 and we could also develop our dairy industry to meet the demands of that increased population."

Mr. Jones submitted a table showing, in detail, the lands comprising this acreage.

Markets for the products of canning crops, canneries and facilities for packing; these are available but the irrigated land to produce the crops is not.

Realizing that power developed for irrigation alone would leave the power plant without customers in the winter months, Mr. Jones suggested the Okanagan was ready for vast industrial development to balance the economy and take a great deal of the load for the winter months.

He was confident, West Kootenay Power and Light Co. would take the surplus. Also considered feasible, was that homes be heated by electricity.

This was being done in the Bonneville power administration in Washington. Answering questions, the speaker stated the main source of the irrigation project would be Okanagan

"Score of Reasons" For New Government Building In Kelowna

KELOWNA—Kelowna Board of Trade has gone on record demanding action be taken by the B.C. Government in constructing a provincial government building here to provide accommodation for existing and future government offices.

The brief, one of the most comprehensive ever drafted by the trade board, submitted on Thursday of last week to Premier Byron Johnson; Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Public Works; Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Finance, and to members of the Legislature, including R. D. Browne-Clayton, local M.L.A.

It gave more than a score of reasons why a government building is a necessity in Kelowna and requested estimates be included in the 1949 budget at the present sitting of the Legislature. It points out that other comparable cities in the Okanagan have substantial provincial buildings and that similar structures have been built in more than a score of other towns in B.C. which are smaller and less important than the Orchard City.

It terms the so-called police station "a public disgrace, a deterrent to tourist business and a handicap to the efficient operation of the detachment."

Penticton Also Seeks Post Office Building

PENTICTON—Information that the Vernon Board of Trade is planning to press for the erection of a new post office building there has focussed attention on the Penticton postal situation.

The enlargement of the Penticton premises has been on the "priority list" for the past two years. Hope is expressed locally that the unit, which will occupy the vacant lot next to the existing post office, will be built this year.

But even if it is, it will provide barely enough room for the local and district post offices, combined in the present structure, state postal authorities. The floor space, including that gained from the existing lobby, will only equal the present office plus the lower floor of the Old Fellows building, now used as a sub-post office.

Exposition Board Addition

Alderman George Melvin was appointed by the City Council on Monday evening as representative on the executive of the Vernon-Okanagan Industrial Exposition.

Lake but there are other lakes from Kamloops to the international border.

A policy of low-cost financing of high consumption equipment should be introduced as a means of building the market for electricity, Mr. Jones declared. This would speed up conversion to electric cooking and water heating in the Okanagan region.

"These lands are among the wealthiest untapped resources of the Dominion of Canada. The population increase in Coast cities and prairie provinces will increase demands for fruit, vegetables and dairy products. The Interior of British Columbia is the logical place to produce these products—not in California."

"We are not asking the government at this time to develop a hydro-electric project, but asking them to protect the future interests of the Okanagan and Similkameen people by including their future power needs in proposed plans for the development of the Arrow Lakes project."

Mr. Jones made brief mention of worry over "possible flood conditions of the coming year" and the attitude of the government to those conditions.

Appeal for Old People

Concluding his address, Yale's M.P. made an "appeal for the old people." Referring to the "grim economic struggle," the speaker stated the greatest hardship in B.C. was where two people have to live on one pension. He asked that be eliminated by granting of an adequate pension.

Abolition of the means test, payment of the pension to everyone as soon as they reach a pensionable age, payable on the date of application—these were beliefs expressed.

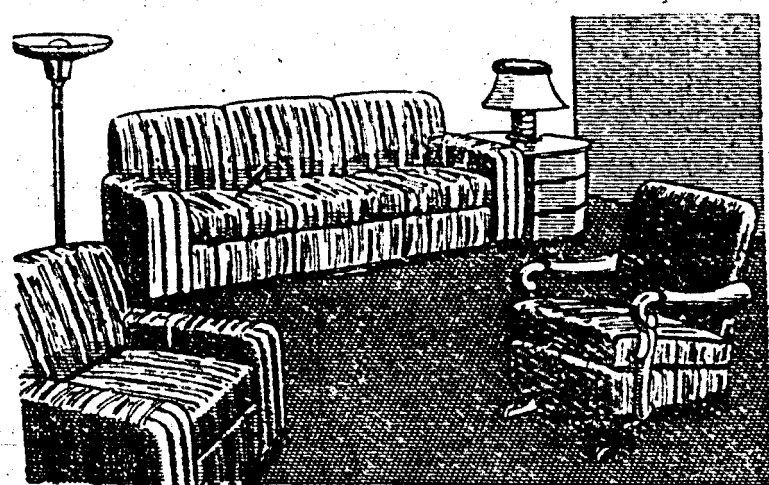
Employment of men over 45 years of age was another problem dealt with. "The government itself must set the example and find work for people over 45, and not leave it to others to do it," Mr. Jones concluded.

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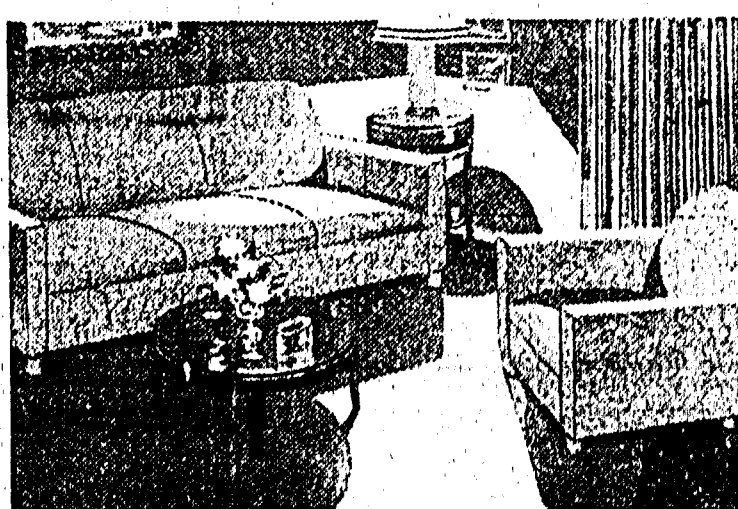


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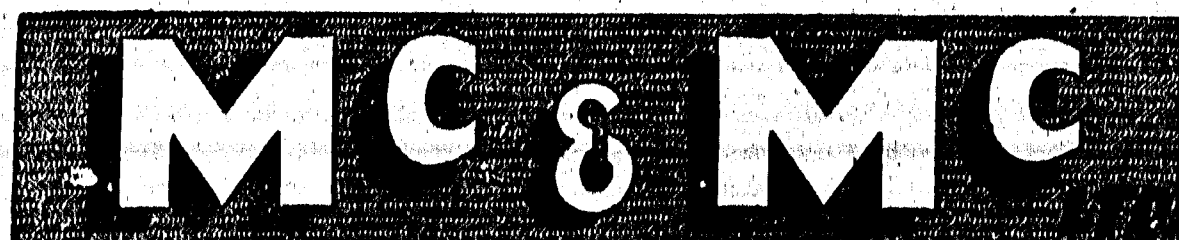
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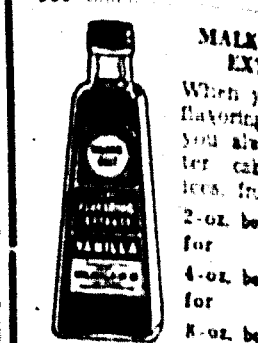
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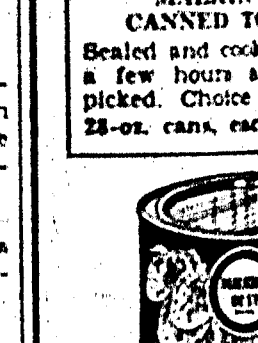
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Kamloops-Kelowna Begin Semi-Final Series Tonight



Practises Show Canadians Determined to Win Series

—Harney Reviews Chances

Pre-playoff practises of the Vernon Canadians have shown that the team has developed, both on and off the ice, a strong determination to win the Mainline-Okanagan championship and represent this league in the Cup playdowns. This encouraging statement was made by Laurel Harney, Canuck mentor, in an interview on Saturday morning.

Starting from the goalkeeper, in outlining his team to the hockey fans of Vernon, Harney had nothing but praise for Al Laface. "Al is undoubtedly the top netminder of the league and could be playing in a better class of hockey. He has been playing very steady to date and I only hope he will continue doing so."

The defence presents little of a headache to the hopeful coach. He believes they are the best in the league when all are playing the hockey of which they are capable. (Continued on Page 11)

A Laface, Bert Elliott Awarded Hockey Prizes

Al Laface, brilliant Vernon netminder, walked away from the arena Monday night with a couple of prizes awarded him in appreciation for the fine job he has done between the pipes for the Vernon Canadians during the season. Hard working Bert Elliott was the second Canuck honored. He was given a reward for being chosen the cleanest player in the Vernon lineup.

The first presentation made to Laface was by Don McGibbon and Ed Sherwood, members of the Hot Stove League, for receiving the most number of stars in the radio three-star selections made after each home game.

With Harry Tyrell, hockey program director, acting as master of ceremonies, Laface was awarded the prize, donated by Walter Patton, for being selected as the most popular Vernon player. This was done through the hockey programs distributed at each Vernon game.

"I'll be living in Vernon and hope to be with the Canadians again next year," said Bert Elliott after he received the Mule presentation for being chosen by the press, radio representatives and league president as the cleanest player on the Canadian club.

"Grateful listeners" showed their appreciation of Sportscaster Don Warner through presentation by Cecil Clark of a case of "pure corn."



Canucks High Scoring Combo

Ken McIntyre-Buzz Mellor-Rod Booth, whose brilliant passing play and dead-eye network has counted for over 50 of the Vernon Canadian goals and 45 assists, totalling nearly a century of points. Local fans are looking forward to great things from this package of scoring dynamite when the Mainline-Okanagan playoffs roll into action. Mellor and Booth are celebrating their third season together

as linemen, while McIntyre, who cruises on right covers' initial workout in Vernon colors. Mellor, heady centreman, wound up the season in third place in the individual scoring race and could have been a lot closer had he not missed the opening half a dozen Vernon games. In a game this season they counted 17 points, a record for the campaign.

Canadians Wind Up Season With Successive Victories

—Take Sting Out of B.C.A.H.A. Ruling

The Mainline-Okanagan Senior B hockey semi-finals get under way tonight in the Kamloops Civic Arena when the bottom place Packers and second place Elks square off in a series that should see much fur fly before a winner is declared to meet the league champion Vernon Canadians for the right to represent the Interior in the Provincial playdowns.

The second game is slated for the Kelowna Memorial Arena on Saturday night with a deciding contest if necessary going back to the Kamloops den on Monday. If this happens, the finals will commence next Wednesday in Vernon and continue Friday, Saturday and Monday. If the semi-finals are completed in two games, the final series will begin Monday and continue Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and, if necessary, Monday, February 28.

Stave Off Last Minute Packer Try

Vernon Canadians survived terrific last period pressure by the Kelowna Packers Tuesday night at Kelowna to edge the Orchard City crew 4-3 and spoil any hopes the Packers had of handing their playing coach Ken Stewart a victory for the special Kenny Stewart night. Short handed, but determined, the Kelowna crew outshot and outplayed the Canadians in the last period but could only get two of 20 shots past brilliant Al Laface. The last three minutes of the game produced probably the most exciting finish seen in Kelowna this season.

Hard pressed, even at full strength, Canucks were really on the spot at the 17-minute mark when Johnny Hryciuk, who scored the winning goal, got his second penalty of the period.

For two whole minutes Vernon's chances of coming out on top hung on a thread and Laface's almost unbelievable canniness.

With one minute to go, Worrall was taken out of the Packers' net in favor of another forward, but the Packers' storming attacks and team upon team pile-ups in front of Laface failed to produce the equalizer.

Elks Unpack Packers In 13-1 Blitz

The Elks showed the fans at the Civic Arena Saturday night they still have a firm grip on the hockey ladder even though their fingers were stamped on by the recent technical point loss that jorges them inescapably in second place as the league winds up. The Elks unpacked the Packers 13-1 in their final home game of scheduled league play.

Led by the brilliant Cliff Mills, who notched six goals and backed up by the near shut-out performance of Walt Malahoff in the nets, the Kamloops team roared from a one-all tie at the 14-minute mark in the first period through a big second period to an 11-1 lead by the end of the second stanza.

At no time in the game did the Packers look like a disorganized team. They just weren't clicking and there was nothing they could do about it. The powerful - in - all - departments Elks were rolling Paul Thompson-wise and couldn't be stopped.

Cliff Mills Gets Winner Against Packers

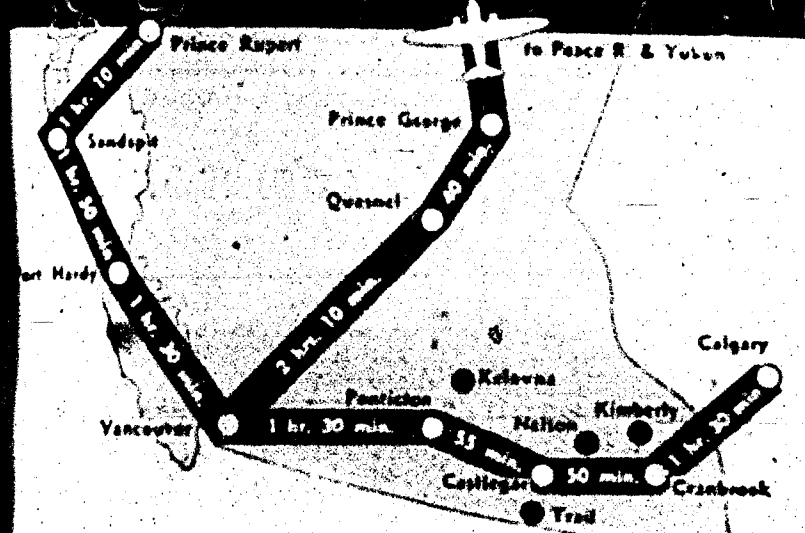
The Kamloops Elks were back on top again in the see-saw battle for the Mainline-Okanagan Senior B Hockey League lead after they edged the Kelowna Packers 4-3 before a near capacity house of 2,000 fans in the Memorial Arena on Thursday of last week.

Cliff Mills second goal of the night, which came just short of the end of the middle period, turned out to be the payoff that regained for the Elks the league leadership they lost to Vernon on Wednesday. On the other hand, the victory banished all Packer chances of reaching second place in the standings.

Scoring came in doubles in the initial stanza as fiery Herbie Sullivan clicked twice for the Elks while Wilf Cook duplicated Sullivan's performance as the Packers played a man short.

After a dull, choppy first half of the sandwich session, the snip-ers got going again. The league scoring ace, Cliff Mills, fired home the winning Elks' marker at 14:43 of the period on a relay from Sonny McDonald and Gordie Sundin.

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Menace to Opposing Forwards

Brutish Dave McKay, ex-National Hockey League, is presenting a big headache for Kamloops and Kelowna attackers in the Mainline-Okanagan Senior B hockey loop. Not only is he valuable from a defensive point of view, but also for the first part of the season he led the Canadian's individual scoring parade. Plenty of weight will be thrown by Dave in the finals scheduled to start next week.

Kamloops All Star Squads Complete Valley Selections

Here are the third and final Mainline-Okanagan Senior B Hockey League press and radio "All-Star" selections submitted by Harry Francis, sports-reporter-for-the-Kamloops-Sentinel; and Keith Gagne, sports commentator for CFJC radio station.

The railway centre sportsmen have followed along the lines of the Orchard City selectors in placing Bud Gourlie, a Packer centreman, on left wing of their first teams. This will make the final selection, which will be published next week, rather difficult, to choose, but the method of awarding two points for placing on the first team and one point for making the alternate team will be used in determining the 1948-49 press and radio "All-Star" aggregation.

HARRY FRANCIS		KEITH GAGNE	
First Team	Position	Alternate Team	Position
Al Laface (V)	Goal	Walt Malahoff (KE)	Goal
Ken Stewart (KP)	Defence	Jack Kirk (KE)	Defence
Bill Neilson (V)	Defence	Dave McKay (V)	Defence
Bud Gourlie (KP)	Left Wing	John Ursaki (KE)	Left Wing
Cliff Mills (KE)	Centre	Buzz Mellor (V)	Centre
Wilf Cook (KE)	Right Wing	Jim Lowe (KP)	Right Wing
John Ursaki (KE)	Coach	Ken Stewart (KP)	Coach

School Wins Volleyball Title

The Vernon High School brought in the first laurels to this city's 1949 sport achievements when they captured the Okanagan Volleyball championship by defeating the South Okanagan finalists, Summerland, and the Central winners, Kelowna, on Saturday. Winners of the Northern title, which they won in a series with Armstrong, the Vernon nine were victorious in four out of five games to become Okanagan representative in the provincial playdowns scheduled for Vancouver early next fall.

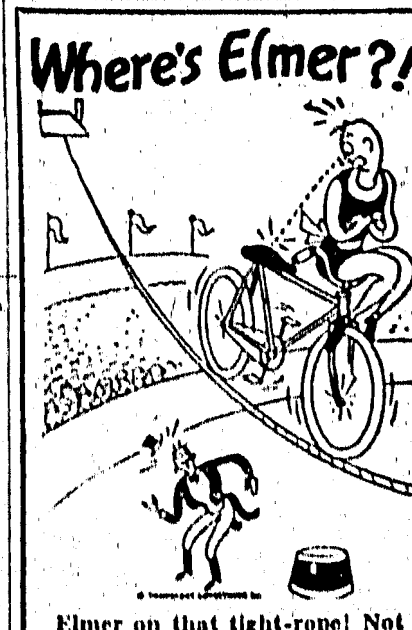
In the initial boys' game of the afternoon, the Kelowna squad defeated Summerland to establish themselves in either second place or a tie with first. However, a short time later the Vernon team duplicated this feat, forcing Kelowna and Vernon to battle it out for the championship.

Vernon took the first game of the finals 15-12 but then faded as the Orchard City scholars turned the tables, 15-13. The deciding fixture was by far the closest and most brilliantly played, and after the score saw-sawed back and forth, the locals finally managed to reach the winning 15 points.

Highlight of the afternoon was the serving of Mark Phillips, of Vernon. Time and time again he sent his serves for point placements.

The girls, although trying desperately, were no match for the speedy Kelowna Owls, who were by far the best girls' team on the floor.

At a banquet held in the school following the final game, the players heard a few words from the Valley director of recreation who spoke of the rise of volleyball in the sports field.



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Nick's Aces In Big Win Vs. Kelowna

With Dick Douglas again in the limelight, Vernon Nick's Aces bowled over a visiting Kelowna Intermediate A quintette to notch a 43-28 win in the Vernon Scout Hall on Friday night. The contest was a preliminary to the senior game between Kamloops and Vernon.

Douglas, as usual, was the big gun for the locals, scoring 23 points, more than half of his team's total. With all of coach Bill Ladner's plays centering around Douglas, it could be drastic for the Aces if the high scoring centreman was hit with an injury during the play-offs.

After a slow opening quarter, which saw the Aces take command of the game and move into an 8-1 lead, the visitors found things a little easier in the second, limiting the locals to a four-point advantage.

At half time the score read, Aces 21, Kelowna 10, but in this quarter, the visitors played their top basketball of the night as they passed and dribbled all over the Ladner clan to outscore the Aces 14-8 for the quarter. Douglas was limited to a basket in this quarter.

Maybe the rough checking irritated Douglas but he quickly shook off his close check to continue on his merry scoring way with 11 points while the Aces rolled over the Orchard City visitors with a 14-4 count in the final quarter.

Strong Aggregation
The local Aces have developed into a strong Inter A aggregation and Mr. Ladner expects great things from the quintette in this year's provincial playoffs. In exhibition contests the Aces have shown that when they are at their best they take a lot of stopping.

In the B.C. quarter finals, the Aces tangled with Kelowna in a total game series that must be completed by February 19. If they defeat the Orchard City representatives their next hurdle would be the winner between Summerland and Keremeos. The winners in the Kamloops-Revelstoke series will get a bye into the Interior finals.

Next best to Douglas in the scoring parade was Jack Graves, who is always good for his share of the points, with nine. M. Haworth and A. Caldon were Kelowna's top point getters with four baskets apiece.

SUMMARY

Vernon Aces—D. Douglas 23, J. Graves 9, S. Tahara 6, B. Duncan 2, Stewart 3, B. Wyatt 1, G. Tripp 1, J. Hopping, V. Koshman. Total, 43.

Kelowna Inter-A—M. Haworth 8, J. Weddell 2, A. Caldon 8, R. Thompson 3, G. Wade, M. Burke 7, J. Taylor, B. Lennie. Total, 28.

City High School Basketball Teams Beat Salmon Arm

On Saturday afternoon in the Vernon Scout Hall the four basketball squads from the Vernon High School once more came out on top in their league games, this time defeating Salmon Arm representatives.

In the senior boys' division, there was no question, as usual, about who was the star point-getter on the home team. Dick Douglas topped the scoring in every quarter. The game went Vernon's way from the beginning, as the local squad outscored Salmon Arm in every period.

The session featured fast, clean, smooth playing, a fact that can be credited only to the fine coaching of both teams.

The senior boys' game started off slowly but gained momentum throughout. Douglas of the Vernon squad scored 23 of the locals' 52 points, followed by Morris with eight points and Graves and Hopping with seven each. Boutwell was top scorer for Salmon Arm with 15 counters, while MacKay notched 10.

In the junior boys' game the Vernon High team once more took the northern city to the cleaners, 28-16. Once more Salmon Arm's downfall was the shooting, although the spectators saw this improve. Clarke was top scorer for Vernon with 14 of the team's 28 points, backed up by Don Nolan with seven Kangaroo Mascot.

Again, "Hoppy," the junior girls' kangaroo mascot, brought the team the bacon to the score of 23 to 3. Neither team received many fouls and the cool, systematic playing of the local squad once more brought them through victorious.

Thelma Buffum, mainstay of the Vernon High girls' team, paced the locals in what was the closest game of the day when they defeated Salmon Arm 25-15. Thelma marked up 17 of the team's points and the rest were taken care of by Tina Beuckert and Pat Laidman.

Elect Officers at Golf Meeting Friday

A general meeting and election of officers of the Vernon Golf Club will be held in the Vernon Scout Hall, tomorrow, Friday, at 8 p.m.

Anyone interested in joining the club and taking part in this year's activities and tournaments is invited to attend.



Bit Off More Than He Could Chew

This was the result when a two-pound bass tried to bite off more than he could chew while swimming around Black Rock Lake in Atlanta, Georgia. The two bass were found by a fisherman.

Brief Third Quarter Lapse Costs Liberals Needed Win

A third quarter let-down cost the Vernon Young Liberals a badly needed victory to gain the fourth and last playoff spot in the Interior Senior B Basketball loop. In a game played in the Scout Hall on Friday, the locals entered the second half down two baskets, but a brief lapse in the Liberal defence gave the Kamloops Rainbows five straight field goals and a comfortable 50-38 lead at the third quarter whistle and a 60-54 win at the final gong.

With three games left in their schedule, the Liberals must win two of these, while the Kelowna Golden Bears, now occupying fourth place in the standings, must lose their remaining games if Vernon is to make the playoffs. The showdown could be the Vernon-Kelowna home and home series slated for February 27 and 28. Vernon, realizing that a win could put them back into the picture as far as playoffs are concerned, fought hard from the first toss-up, particularly under their own hoop. In previous games against the smooth-working Rainbows, one of the Liberal pitfalls has been lack of tall men who can garner rebounds under the baskets.

After a brief pre-game discussion as to just what could be done to stop the giant Rainbows, Bill Koshman and Rolfe Sammartino suggested that all five men crowd the basket and jump for every rebound. This method proved successful throughout the game.

Lose Early Lead

Faced by Koshman and Sammartino, good for a pair of baskets each, the Liberals took a 13-12 lead in the first quarter. But a 10-point effort by Sandy Hay saw the visitors roll their machine of blocks and speed into action to take a four-point advantage at the half.

The game, at this moment, appeared as if the Liberals might come through with a win, but loose play in getting the ball up the floor and accurate long shots by Kamloops spelled disaster for Vernon in the third session. Little Harold Seller, who seems lost in the Rainbows' speedy play, made use of the few times he touched the melon, by flipping it through the hoops from centre court, quite often not even touching the rim.

The midget Sellers made four shots count, while Southpaw Art Barton was good for six points. For the Liberals, another southpaw, Bill Koshman, was the spark-plug of the attack, garnering eight points in the third quarter.

The final stanza was "all Liberal" when with Rolfe Sammartino and Bill Koshman scoring the points, while everyone checked hard, they made a determined bid to get back in the ball game.

Behind 12 points when the quarter started, the Liberals moved all over the Rainbows and wound up on the top side of a 16-10 count for the quarter, but on the short side of 60-54 count in the game. Bill Koshman was the brightest

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Special features were displays of amusement created with the fancy skating supervised by Mrs. F. Caswell, who has done much skating in Vernon. This is the first time that Enderby skaters have had the opportunity of being trained in fancy skating.

One of Mrs. Caswell's numbers was the "Highland Fling," accompanied by bagpipes. Miss Lorraine deMoore, of Vernon, gave another much appreciated solo number. Local talent was seen in "Voice of Spring," by Florence Skelly, June Harrylock, Margaret Paulkner, Arleen Woods, Rose Glushenko, Pearl Johnson, Lillian Dill, Margo Jones, Yvonne Pritchard and Irwin Olson.

In the second number, "Buttons and Bows," skaters were Florence Skelly, June Harrylock, Margaret Paulkner, Arleen Woods, Rose Glushenko, Pearl Johnson, Lillian Dill and Margo Jones.

Fancy costumes ranged from a large pink elephant, to rabbits, clowns, peasants, negro children, Uncle Sam, old-fashioned characters, snow men, Queen of Hearts, bakers, a regal queen, and many others.

The judges, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Revel, P. Boyne, of Vernon, and F. Caswell, did an excellent job in selecting the winners.

Races were for boys and girls from eight years and under, to open; puck dribbling; old man's race; married ladies' race; married couples race; bicycle race; musical chairs and a canoe race. Much

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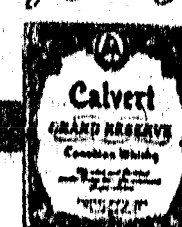
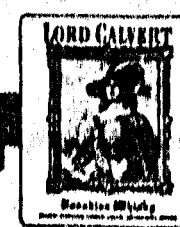
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Elks Wind Up League Play With 6-2 Loss to Canucks

Showing pre-playoff fight that could carry them a long way in quest of the Coy Cup, the Vernon Canadians waited all over the Kamloops Elks to the tune of 6-2 on Monday night in the Vernon Civic Arena in the Elks' final league game of the 1948-49 season.

The Elks were still stunned from the blow dealt them by Frank Becker, president of the B.C.A.H.A., when four points were taken from their league total and two added to the Canadian and Packer win column, giving the Canadians the bye into the Mainline-Okanagan playoffs.

Kamloops were minus their high-scoring centreman, Cliff Mills, who is recovering from a touch of "flu" and resting for the semi-finals. A familiar player handling the sticks in the Kamloops box was Al Bwayne, who is hoping to get into action with the Elks during the playoffs. He is slated as a replacement for Bob Donald.

Owing to car trouble, the Elks arrived at the game 15 minutes late and 10 seconds later were one goal behind the Canadians as Johnny Hryciuk took a pass from the face-off, flew in on his wing and fired the disc into the upper corner of the net.

Coach Harney again shuffled his lineup, trying for that winning combination. The first line was centred by Johnny Loudon, flanked by Bob Donald and the speedy Hryciuk.

The Rod Booth-Buzz Mellor-Ken McIntyre trio was intact as a second attacking unit, while Lloyd Smith centred Bert Elliott and George Keryluke on the third string.

After the Canadians drew first blood early in the game, both teams settled down and gave the spectators a preview of what might come in the playoffs should the Elks get past the Stewart squad.

Rugged Checking
Body checking was the main theme of Monday night's game with Dave McKay, Jack Kirk and even Tom Steyk catching opposing forwards with checks that were well timed and damaging. Probably the best effort was by Kirk when he slammed Loudon flat fashion, but Loudon bounced back like a rubber ball. The payoff on this check came when Loudon sought revenge only to miss the bruising Elks rearguard and go sprawling into the boards.

Both Al Laface and Walt Malahoff stole the show momentarily during the contest although the Canadian defence kept the Elks at a safe distance where little could be done against the popular Laface. Malahoff had 30 chances to handle, while Laface was tested with a slim 16.

Second marker of the game came at the 3:28 mark of the middle session when a Kamloops gang attack

could carry them a long way in quest of the Coy Cup, the Vernon Canadians waited all over the Kamloops Elks to the tune of 6-2 on Monday night in the Vernon Civic Arena in the Elks' final league game of the 1948-49 season.

Just before the hard-working Kirk knocked Loudon for a loop, he narrowly missed seeing stars when big Dave McKay dove at him only to catch this air.

Vernon scored two of their goals while a man short. The visitors appeared to be trying too hard on their power plays, leaving the opportunity for breakaways by the speeding Canadians. McKay scored one of these on a blue-line shot while Rod Booth teamed beautifully with Tom Steyk on the second breakaway.

The Elks broke the ice at the 1:32 mark of the final canto, Lovette being the marksmen with Frank Kuly setting up the play. A scramble around Laface saw the Elks take three whacks at the disc and finally drive it home on the third try.

After Mellor blinked the red light on a three-way passing play with Bill Neilson and Ken McIntyre, Johnny Ursaki counted the Elks' second goal, a breath-taking disc-shuffling play that probably took top honors of the game for passing. Frank Kuly raced down the ice with Ursaki on one side and Sonny McDonald on the other, reached the defence, pushed the rubber over to McDonald who waited just long enough, then rifled a pass to the Vernon goal mouth where Ursaki was flying in to tip the puck past Laface.

Loudon and Hryciuk were the next marksmen of the game; Hryciuk counting on a play with his centreman while Loudon registered his goal all alone after stealing the rubber from Jack Kirk at the red line. Kirk was left standing there dumbfounded as the cagey Loudon streaked in to outguess Malahoff with a low backhand.

With the exception of Booth's goal late in the period, both clubs lost their steam and were content to finish the final couple of minutes in a coasting style.

Many Vernon fans were happy to see the Canucks' lineup juggled into Monday night's combinations and from the way all three tries were performing the Canadians should be right in the thick of it against the Kamloops-Kelowna winners. They really looked like a Coy Cup club on Monday.

First Period—1, Vernon, Hryciuk (Loudon), 10. Penalties: Miller, Donald, Vanbuskirk.

Second Period—2, Vernon, McIntyre (Mellor), 3:28; 3, Vernon, McKay, 10:32. Penalties: R. McKay, Hryciuk.

Third Period—4, Kamloops, Lovette (Kuly), 1:32; 5, Vernon, Mellor (Neilson-McIntyre), 6; Kamloops, Ursaki (Kuly-McDonald), 14:17; 7, Vernon, Hryciuk (Loudon), 16:03; 8, Loudon, 16:50; 9, Vernon Booth (Steyk), 18:45. Penalty: McKay.

LINEUP OF TEAMS

Vernon Canadians—A. Laface, D. McKay, B. Neilson, T. Steyk, R. Miller, J. Loudon, J. Hryciuk, B. Donald, B. Elliott, G. Keryluke, Lloyd Smith, B. Mellor, R. Booth, K. McIntyre.

Kamloops Elks—W. Malahoff, F. Kuly, J. Kirk, A. McDougal, R. McKay, J. Ursaki, W. Cook, S. McDonald, G. Sundin, Q. Lovette, J. Vanbuskirk, F. Forsey.

Practice Shows

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Tommy Steyk is very consistent while Dave McKay brings worries to every opposing forward. Neilson has had few if any bad games this season and is a seasoned player who should have no buck fever during any crucial series. The other rearguard, Retnee Miller, although seldom mentioned as outstanding according to Harney is always in the thick of things, digging hard. "We had him playing brilliant hockey before he missed those few games and right now he is beginning to get that way again."

Centre Man Important
Laurel gives most credit, when a line is working smoothly, to the centreman. "He must hustle all the way. The wings are out there to be fed passes at the right time," says the Canucks boss.

The Mellor-Booth-McIntyre line is a good example of Harney's opinions. When Mellor is hustling and back-checking as he should, the trio is one of the most dangerous attacking units in the circuit. Ken McIntyre, not too sharp in front of the cage, scores his goals the hard way, by fighting for the rubber and battling it home. On the other hand, Rod Booth scores by using every opportunity to its best advantage. "This unit will be intact for the playoffs," concluded Harney.

Vernon's own Johnny Loudon rates high in the coach's book. Harney believes Loudon is the best prospect on the squad and could make a Senior A club if he got down to business. Loudon will centre another playoff string with Bob Donald and Johnny Hryciuk on the flanks.

"Donald has been quite an asset to us," says Harney. "He has the

Hockey Referees Play Big Part in League Success

In order that hockey fans may get the most possible enjoyment and understanding out of Mainline Okanagan hockey games, a few more rules taken from the 1948-49 Canadian Amateur Hockey Association official rule book are published this week.

The referee school, conducted near the beginning of the season under the capable guidance of Claude Small, covered the rule book entirely and has resulted in producing some of the best officiating in a good many seasons. Fred Janicki and Alex Kuly along with Bud Fraser and Jim Eldon are showing a marked improvement in their work and have done much in making this hockey season the success it is.

One of the rules that played a major role in sending last Wednesday night's Kamloops-Vernon game into overtime was that for "falling on the puck." Dave McKay fell on the disc then pulled it into his body and was given a minor penalty. Ursaki knotted the count while McKay was off. The rule reads, "a minor penalty results when any player, except a goalkeeper deliberately falls on or gathers the puck into his body by any means."

Handling the Puck with Hands
This is another rule that causes much comment when called by an official. A player is permitted to stop or bat the puck in the air with his open hand, or push it along the ice with his hand, and the play should not be stopped unless the referee decided that it was deliberately directed to a teammate. The play is stopped and the puck faced off in that spot.

High Sticking
This rule is not very often called according to the law book. If the arbiters enforced this infraction every time it occurs, the penalty box would soon have to be enlarged. It reads: "the carrying of sticks above the height of the shoulder is prohibited and a minor penalty may be imposed for violation of this rule. If a goal is scored from a stick so carried it is not allowed, except when knocked into the cage by a player of the opposing team."

Interference
This infraction caused the Elks to play a man short against Vernon last Wednesday when Ross McKay interfered with a player. While he was off Bill Neilson fired home the winning marker. The rule book defines interference: "interfering with or impeding the progress of an opponent, who is not in possession of the puck or deliberately knocking a stick out of an opponent's hands, or preventing an opponent who has lost his stick from regaining possession of it."

Many people would say: "What if Al gets hurt?" To answer this, Vernon has Jim McBride. "Our spare netminder hasn't had a chance under fire," commented Harney, "but he looks good in practices and I am sure would be tough to get pucks by should Al be hurt."

"But that's looking at the gloomy side of things," laughed Harney. "let's just hope Lady Luck is good to us."

In conclusion, the coach briefed which team the figures will be the toughest to beat.

"The Packers are a fighting club, particularly on their home ice and will be toughest," he says. Kamloops should be improved under Paul Thompson's wing as he has a smart aggression with which to work. "They all can handle the puck and are good skaters."

Tacking a quick glance at the men to watch during the playoffs, Harney chooses Cliff Mills, for the Elks and Jimmy Lowe for the Packers, providing Stewart and Gourlie are laying down those deadly passes. "Mills is dangerous in front of the net and has the most difficult shot in the league to handle. It is accurate and hard. But he is strictly an opportunist, which is in our favor," commented Harney.

"Lowe is dangerous because he can turn his speed on and off like a switch. One moment he is standing still and the next he is flying in on the net."

The hockey mentor, who came to Vernon with a long hockey background, has been working tirelessly with the Canadians, hoping to get them working together in the "fashion" he believes will win hockey games. Most sport fans in this city think the Canadians can come out of the playoffs on top if they all, as a unit, "get in there and dig."

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Lumby Five Goals Up in Semi-Final Against Vernon

The Lumby Flying Frenchmen took a five-goal lead in the two game total series semi-finals of the Okanagan Intermediate B Hockey loop when they defeated the Vernon Eagles 7-2 on Tuesday night in the Lumby outdoor rink. The second semi-final series is being played between the Salmon Arm Aces and Oyanas.

The winners will clash in a two out of three affair for the right to meet Kamloops for the Interior title.

After a fast opening period that saw Lumby move into a 3-0 lead, a heavy snowfall slowed down the action and both teams reverted to gang attacks and heavy body-checking. Vernon dominated the play in the middle canto firing two markers home while holding the Frenchmen scoreless.

Lumby again moved to the attack in the final period, blinking the red light four times while blanking the local squad. Sarge Sammartino was top marksman of the game, scoring four goals and helping on a pair. Allan Richardson, Mike Kramer and Booney Sammartino completed the scoring. Ray Morrison contributed two assists while Len Postill relayed a singleton.

Fitzgerald and Babalo were the Eagle marksmen, while Vern Dye and Art Richardson drew assists.

Midget Boost Win Streak to Eleven Games

The Vernon Midget boosted their string of successive wins to 11 on Thursday night of last week when they trounced the Enderby Midgets 11-1 in the Enderby rink.

Again it was the brilliant centre ice man, Tony Spelay, who stole the scoring spotlight, this time with five goals. The heady playmaker was all over the Enderby cage while making his second five goal effort in the past two weeks. The smooth skating Spelay and his brother, Bill, who performs on the rearguard, are playing their first season under Vernon colors, coming here last year from the prairies.

The home-toppers jumped into a 1-0 lead before the visiting Vernon crew had their sticks on the ice. But this short rally was the best Enderby effort of the game. The locals started a gang attack shortly after the first marker was scored and blinked the red light five times before the initial period ended.

Tony Spelay's five counters was by far the outstanding feature of the contest. Trev Davis counted two and Harry Thorlakson, Pete Genier, Marvin Bidowski and Murray Green completed the scoring.

Sportsmen Invite Public to Meeting

Vernon and district sportsmen are well aware that fish and game of this province is a public institution, which should be controlled by the public. In this respect a meeting of the Vernon Fish, Game and Forest Protective Association will be held in the Burns Hall at 7:30 o'clock tonight, Thursday, at which everyone will be invited to take part in the discussions.

The meeting has been called to discuss certain resolutions that will be presented to the Game Commission regarding open seasons and bag limits for fish and game during 1949.

Some of the items to be threshed out by the public and sportsmen include a revision of fishing regulations, a decrease in the bag limit of deer, re-opening of the pheasant season for two weeks and a recommendation as to the control of predators.

These discussions are not only beneficial to hunters and fishermen but to business men also. Last year approximately \$70,000,000 was brought into British Columbia directly or indirectly through the fish and game industry, officials state.

Many Predators Fall to Hunters

The war on pheasant predators declared by the Vernon Fish and Game Club flared up this week when 30 magpies and eight goshawks were turned in to Les Vell, chairman of the predator drive.

In addition to the birds destroyed, two coyotes were bagged by Ivor Anderson, of Lavington, and one by J. C. Sengotta, of Vernon. Mr. Anderson shot his in the Lavington district, while Mr. Sengotta killed his on the north arm of Okanagan Lake. These three coyotes bring the total number turned in to date to 14.

A report by Eddie Field read that nearly \$50 has been paid out so far this year. The amounts given for each bird are: goshawks \$1, magpies 25 cents, ravens 50 cents, crows 10 cents.

A Sunday tour of the district by Bob Carswell, president of the Fish, Game and Forest Protective Association, revealed that the pheasants are finding it tougher to get feed. "I didn't see any dead pheasants," said the president, "but the cold has crusted the snow making the birds work harder to get enough feed."

B.C.A.H.A. Action Termed 'Committee Room Business'

"Committee room business," said Morris Cranston, president of the Kamloops Elks, shaking his head and still troubled after receiving the news that Frank P. Becker, president of the British Columbia Amateur Hockey Association, had fined his club \$50 and reversed the results of two Kamloops games when the Elks used an ineligible player in December 14 and 18 scheduled fixtures.

"The unfair part of the whole thing," commented the president, "is that the decision should have been made when the offence happened." Mr. Cranston advised that permission was granted the Kamloops team by both Kelowna and Vernon officials to use the player in question.

"I'm sorry to see a thing like this happen. It's bad publicity for Okanagan hockey which is on its way up in B.C.," he added.

Mr. Cranston said "we were first notified of the fine, but not that we were to have a couple of games reversed. In a telephone conversation between Ted Martin, Mainline B.C.A.H.A. representative, and Mr. Becker, we understood that only the fine was being levied against the Elks. Just before Mr. Becker left for Trail, Mr. Martin received another phone call which revealed that the games had been reversed. This meant the Canadians were winners of the league and the Elks could rest easy as they were designated for second place."

This wasn't all Mr. Cranston had to say. He continued, "We didn't have to make this trip tonight and it could have cost us only \$50, whereas making the journey set us back \$125. We did it purely from a sportsmanship point of view."

In giving these statements the Elk president pointed out that no blame could be attached to any teams or players for what was done.

Sitting in a corner after a hard first period was Johnny Usaki, coach in the absence of Paul Thompson. He only spoke a few words on the matter, saying, "We asked permission; it was granted. The reversed decision was in a desk drawer for six weeks. All I can say is that it was a very poor show all around."

President Becker could not be reached for a statement on the matter as he is in the Kootenays.

Only One Undeclared Rink In Curling Challenge Play

While entries for the 12th Okanagan Bonspiel continue to come into the 'spiel committee, play in the Vernon Curling Club Grand Challenge competition rocks ahead at full blast. Only one rink remains undefeated in this event, that skipped by Emory Green. J. A. Acheson has registered the most number of wins, leading the field with nine victories in 11 games played.

Two quartettes have managed to reach the semi-finals in play for the Whitten Cup. These rinks are led by W. McDonnell and Jock Reid. The Neil and Neil Trophy competition also has declared a couple of semi-finalists with rinks skipped by Everett Dunn and A. Langstaff taking the honors.

One semi-finalist has been determined in play for the Wildfire Cup while three squads remain in quarter final competition. The Emory Green team has one more rink to top before reaching the finals, while Ian Weir, Charlie Johnson and Enderby rinks have a pair to win before playing off for the prize.

The Moebs Cup is still in its quarter final stage with seven rinks remaining. These are skipped by Fred Murray, Dr. A. J. Wright, Gordon Lindsay, Everett Dunn, A. Langstaff, Charlie Johnson and C. Ward.

B.C. Champs Reg Stone, popular Trail curler, won the British Columbia curling championship at the B.C. Consols Bonspiel held in Trail last week and will represent the province in Dominion competition for the MacDonald Briar Cup at Hamilton, Ont. Frenchy D'Amour, also of Trail and last year's Dominion Curling Champion, went down to defeat late in the 'spiel. Two rinks, skipped by Mosey Adams and Jock Reid, represented the Vernon Club but failed to place.

The top ten rinks in the Grand Challenge competition up to the end of the week are:

	GP	W	L
J. A. Acheson	11	9	2
Lionel Valgr	10	7	3
Fred Murray	8	6	2
Emory Green	6	6	0
Jock Reid	9	6	3
J. E. Harvey	9	6	3
Ian Weir	6	5	1
John Loudon	7	5	2
Earl Gray	7	5	2
G. Green	5	4	1

"Big Name" Skiers Seek Entry In Ski Meet at Revelstoke

REVELSTOKE. — Revelstoke is getting back into the limelight of big-time skiing with almost unbelievable rapidity.

News of the re-building of the famous hill in Mount Revelstoke National Park to permit of jumps far in excess of 300 feet has gone far and wide with the result that a large number of enquiries are being received from intending competitors and interested spectators.

At least a dozen "big name" jumpers are certain to attend the first international invitation tournament here in over 20 years. One of these is Georg Thraner, Norwegian Olympic champion, who is an exchange student at Washington State College, Pullman, Wash.

Thraner won the Milwaukee Bowl tournament last month. He beat the Olympic champion at that meet.

Recently he won the big Northwest meet at Leavenworth, Wash., against many outstanding competitors. Thraner captured the 1947 tournament at Holmenkollen, Norway, one of the biggest ski meets in the world.

Call Legion Cricketers To Organizational Meet

All Canadian Legion members interested in playing on the Legion Cricket Club this year are requested to attend a meeting to be held in the Legion Hall next Thursday at 8 p.m.

Dogs Hampering Pheasants After Supply of Feed

The Okanagan game clubs did their part towards improving the pheasant situation when they signed a petition that carried a lot of weight in bringing about last year's closed season on pheasants. How the public can do their share by keeping an eye on dogs and seeing they do no damage to the bird population of this district while snow is on the ground.

The present snow conditions greatly hamper the pheasants in escaping when hunted by dogs, and as the winter progresses the birds become less alert, allowing dogs to get quite close before becoming alarmed. In some cases, dogs are chasing the birds from feed that was left out for them to aid the winter feeding difficulties.

A request has been issued by J. P. C. Atwood, district game warden, that the citizens watch that their dogs carefully.

This winter there have been a number of cases reported of dogs catching pheasants and there is no doubt there are many such incidents not seen.

There is a law which governs and protects the pheasants while there is snow on the ground which reads: "No person shall, between April 1 and July 31, or at any other time when there is snow on the ground in sufficient quantity to interfere with the feeding or protection of game birds, use or allow any dog to hunt or run after game birds."

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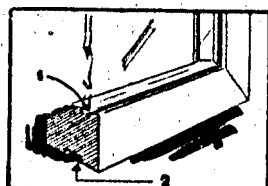
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Fear Repetition of Spring Floods For Kelowna and South of Valley

KELOWNA.—Unless there is an over-night change in the weather, coupled with above-freezing temperatures within the next 30 days, Okanagan residents may as well brace themselves for a repetition of floods this coming spring.

While the B.C. Water Rights Branch will not make a run-off forecast until snow measurements are received at the end of next month, the January report clearly indicates the water content in the snow at McCulloch is 145.6 percent compared with last year's figure, while based on the 12-year average, the snow measurement taken at the end of January is 126 percent of normal.

With over five inches of snow recorded during as many days, Kelowna residents are getting a little concerned over the low rate in which Okanagan Lake is falling. While no doubt the extremely cold weather has had an adverse effect, the lake is still above the agreed minimum of 99.5 feet.

City officials are alarmed over the condition of Mission Creek. Although a survey of the creek was made by government officials several weeks ago, work has as yet been done on strengthening the banks of the stream or cleaning out the channel. Last year the roaring waters brought tree stumps and huge rocks down from the hills and these are still in the centre of the creek bed.

Several months ago the city offered to co-operate with the provincial government in cleaning out the channel, but it is understood this offer has been refused pending an estimate of the cost of the entire undertaking.

"Unless we build up the banks in the vicinity of Dry Creek, we are heading for trouble," declared Alderman Jack Horn, chairman of the city public works committee. "Condition of Mission Creek is the worst it has been in the last 20 years," he warned. "This work must be undertaken before the end of February if we are to avoid a repetition of last year."

While some work has been undertaken in revamping the channel of Okanagan River below Pentiction, this has been brought to a halt due to the cold weather. The work is being undertaken jointly by the provincial and federal governments.

the snow moisture reaching the lake.

Flood Hazards

Dealing with flood hazards, the water rights report released this week stated, "little can be said at the present time as to the extent of the 1949 freshet. If the present trend of precipitation continues, and if a normal spring occurs, there should be no danger of a large freshet. However, due to more than normal precipitation during the summer and fall of 1948, the soil mantle is well saturated, and the water table high.

"The 1948 freshet brought down large volumes of silt and gravel which, in many streams has decreased their hydraulic capacity. This means that in certain areas local flooding may occur."

First Aid Trainees Seek Refresher Courses Here

Dr. E. W. Prowse reports a busy time with enquiries following a story carried in The Vernon News on February 3, on the St. John Ambulance Association.

Mail and telephone enquiries poured in from St. John Ambulance trainees as to how some of those holding Awards could take refresher courses to keep themselves in good standing within the five-year limit. Anxiety is felt by many, largely medallion holders, who are now written off the records because more than five years have elapsed since their last course.

The disqualifying measure which came into effect on January 1, was protested vigorously by the Vernon Centre through Dr. Prowse, because no warning was given to those affected. Had such warning been given, a great impetus would have been given to training work, instead of creating a decided loss, Dr. Prowse said last week.

From his protest, Dr. Prowse has received word from the Provincial Council at Victoria that Ottawa headquarters have signified that, where it is thought advisable, they may in certain cases, accept examination. Victoria writes that at the Pro-Council meeting they will pass Dr. Prowse's resolution that the time limit be extended to give centres an opportunity of contacting holders of vouchers or medallions, with every hope of success that Ottawa will grant extensions across Canada.

Vernon Centre will train all who wish to continue in good standing, feeling that time extension will be granted; and if not, this Centre will stand behind its trainees in recommending acceptance of examination for higher award by Ottawa.

Names submitted to Dr. Prowse are listed and this list will be kept open until Saturday when training will be arranged. There are a large number who are entitled to their medallion or label, bar and pendants, who have not yet got them. Their manufacture was discontinued in 1942, as no metal was available. These persons hold only a small certificate. Metal awards are now available by contacting Dr. Prowse.

In listing the names of qualified instructors last week, the name of Miss Frances Simms was inadvertently omitted.

Mrs. M. Robinson Laid at Rest In Lansdowne Cemetery

ENDERBY, Feb. 14.—Many old time residents of Enderby gathered in St. George's Anglican Church on Monday to pay their last respects to Mrs. Mary Robinson, aged 82, who died at Cloverdale, B.C. A Longfellow officiated, with committal following in the Lansdowne Cemetery.

Mrs. Robinson was widow of the late Tom Robinson. After her husband's death she remained in her home on Stanley Street, until ill-health made it necessary for her to reside with her daughter, Mrs. A. Teece. She later moved to Cloverdale and resided with her sister there until her death. Mrs. Robinson was among Enderby's pioneer residents.

Lumby Trade Board Asks Flood Control

LUMBY, Feb. 15.—Flood control of Aberdeen and Haddo Lakes came up for discussion at a meeting of Lumby Board of Trade held on Monday of last week. A resolution was passed emphasizing the need for competent government engineers to investigate the control of these waters.

The Board endorsed the Vernon Trade Board's resolution urging improvement of sleeping car service to the Coast. Authority was given to Ronnie Hill to establish the currently defunct pound.

Another six inches of snow fell in Lumby district last weekend.

Peter and Jack Dyke with E. R. Pierce, attended a conference at the Coast last week.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Tom James, whose father died in Mara on February 12.

Mrs. Trussler's small son is a patient in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital. Another local patient in that institution is Angus Woods.

Blizzards Block Roads

A. C. Packham returned from Nelson on Saturday. He reports the roads are blocked by snow and had some difficulty in returning by motor.

The "counter jumpers" and "bushwhackers" put on a strenuous game of broom ball on Sunday, resulting in a decisive win for the "jumpers."

The bantams, Fergusons vs. Lumby, ended in a defeat for the visitors.

Parkie Derry was taken to Vernon to have a cut in his face stitched after being struck by the puck during play with the bantams on Sunday.

Cherryville Area Cattle Found Disease Free

CHERRYVILLE, Feb. 14.—Reports from Dr. Wallace R. Gunn, Livestock Commissioner and Chief Veterinary Inspector, at Victoria, received this week reveal that cattle of this district are free from the livestock disease, Brucellosis. The tests were made about a month ago.

Traffic over the Monashee Highway is continuing as usual and reports from the 40 odd motorists crossing the hump last week were that the road is still as good as it ever has been during the winter. A basket social and Valentine dance was held in the Cherryville Hall on Saturday with the funds going towards the Richland School project.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rennie left for Merritt where they will spend a 10-day holiday with relatives. While they are away, I. Puckett, of Vernon, will supervise the management of the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Lesouskie are being congratulated on the birth of a son last week in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital.

Miss Norma Wheeler, of Winfield, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dillman.

J. H. Hatten, of Vernon, made his first call in the district this winter and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Baehner.

Charlie Hanson, of Cherryville, shot his second cougar of the season on Sunday, January 30. His bag brings the total number of cougars shot by local hunters to five.

Kamloops Hospital Will Not Levy Extra Fee Over Insurance

B.C. Hospital Insurance Service subscribers who are treated in the Royal Inland Hospital's public wards will not be required to pay an extra fee.

This decision was taken by the hospital board recently after a three-hour conference with W. J. Lyle, assistant director, B.C.H.I.S. It reverses the policy that went into effect February 1 whereby B.C.H.I.S. subscribers were to be billed for the difference between the payment made by the B.C.H.I.S. and the regular rate for the accommodation they used (48 for public wards, 49 for semi-private and 50 for private).

The hospital now will have two scales of charges, one for B.C.H.I.S. subscribers, the other for non-subscribers.

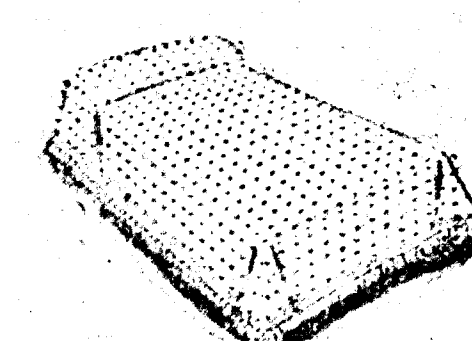
For the public-ward care of B.C.H.I.S. subscribers the hospital will bill the government's hospitalization service at an all-inclusive rate of \$6.25 per day. Non-subscribers will be personally charged \$8 per day, also on an all-inclusive basis.

Those who use semi-private or private wards will be billed \$1 or \$2 per day extra, as the case may be, whether or not they are B.C.H.I.S. subscribers.

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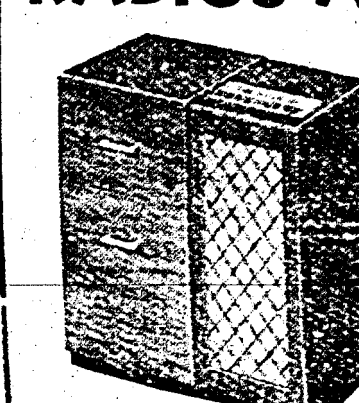
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Editorial Page

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Improvement or Expansion?

The ten-point expansion program for British Columbia as announced by Premier Byron Johnson at the week end may be accurately described as a blueprint for progress unparalleled in the history of this province.

The program should also provide a convincing answer to the challenge of socialism. Here is a vast plan on a scale exceeding the wildest dreams of socialism to be executed by free enterprise in vigorous fashion.

British Columbia is to spend \$90,000,000 on capital projects within the next three to five years. As enumerated by the Premier in the Legislature, the program is divided into ten separate entities:

Extension of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway and additional equipment, \$10,000,000.

Highway construction for three years, \$30,000,000.

Hospital construction for five years, \$20,000,000.

B.C. Power Commission hydro plant for Cariboo, \$5,000,000.

Other Power Commission allotments, \$10,000,000.

Irrigation construction projects, \$3,000,000.

New government building at Victoria, \$2,000,000.

Additional aid to University of British Columbia, \$1,500,000.

School construction program this year, \$4,500,000.

Other government buildings, \$1,000,000.

Of particular significance to the Interior are five announcements made by Premier Johnson, with respect to highways, irrigation, B.C. Power Commission, school construction, and more aid for reductions in school taxes in rural areas.

No details have yet been released regarding the program for irrigation construction to cost \$3,000,000. An adequate supply of irrigation water at a reasonable rate is essential to the maintenance and development of agriculture in the Interior, particularly in the Okanagan Valley. The question naturally arising here, then, is, how is this money to be allotted and spent?

Grandiose schemes for new developments are not the answer the Okanagan is hoping to be given when further details are released in the Legislature.

What is urgently required is extension to already existing plants plus renovation and rebuilding.

The Dominion government, with Provincial assistance and encouragement, has already embarked on several new development schemes in the Interior. When completed, these will add considerably to acreage available for commercial fruit and vegetable production. These projects are for veterans. Work is now proceeding at Westbank and will probably commence shortly at Cawston Bench and Kamloops-Chase. Under the P.F.R.A. as applied to British Columbia, some thousands of acres of excellent land will be made highly productive at Pemberton through a large irrigation and reclamation scheme.

These developments are coming into production and use at a period when the problem of surpluses in fruits and vegetables is again present or will likely be with the harvesting of the 1940 crops in the Interior tree fruit area.

It is quite true that British Columbia requires additional acreage of arable land to provide settlement for the vastly increased population and to replace worn out tracts fast becoming uneconomical for production. Large additional acreages are already being developed to meet this need.

In almost all settled parts of the Okanagan and the Main Line are situated plots of land which require only water to make them immensely fertile. In Vernon is the vast Commonage tract and the benches west of Kalamalka Lake; in Armstrong is the Grapewine Bench district, and so on through the Valley.

Here are already provided all essential services, schools, highways, government agencies and police.

To bring these areas into production before opening vast new projects without an assured market for their output would be the wise course for this contemplated outlay of \$3,000,000.

Valuable Youth Training

A fairly accurate argument could be made out to the effect that, were the ideals

and practices of the Boy Scout and Girl Guide movement allowed to circulate freely in all countries of the world, then the problems of international conflict would be much easier of solution.

It is significant that Scouting, which once flourished in Germany, was disbanded by Hitler. Similarly, Scouting has been outlawed in all countries within the Russian sphere of influence and, of course, is not permitted in Russia itself.

Scouting embodies certain principles underlying fundamental rights and freedoms which citizens of democratic nations take for granted, but which are denied in totalitarian countries.

Because of these principles Scouting is such a valuable training for the youth of all nations.

The period of February 20 to 27 has been designated as Boy Scout and Girl Guide Week. It is being observed in Vernon by all branches of the movement with special emphasis to acquaint the public more fully with the valuable work being carried out.

If Scout-Guide Week did nothing more than to emphasize and spread abroad that youthful spirit of tolerance, fellowship, and friendship, it would serve a purpose which would be felt around the world.

From the FILES OF THE VERNON NEWS

Ten Years Ago—Thursday, Feb. 16, 1929.

Passage of a resolution calling upon the governments, Dominion and Provincial, to move forward as speedily as possible towards completion of the Big Bend Highway and the opening of this route to traffic, was the feature of the annual meeting of the Vernon Board of Trade held on Monday evening. Major M. V. McGuire, of Vernon, prominent in the fruit industry of the Okanagan for many years, has been elected president of the Canadian Horticultural Council. As a result of the establishment of a substantial credit, Germany is purchasing about 75 cars of apples from the Okanagan Valley. Everard Clarke will be president of the Vernon Board of Trade in the forthcoming year. The Vernon Eagles were eliminated from the hockey playoffs by the Armstrong Legionnaires in a two-game total goal series, 5-4. Vernon won the first game 3-1, but were trounced 4-1 in the second encounter.

Twenty Years Ago—Thursday, Feb. 21, 1919.

Ratepayers of Vernon are to vote on a proposal to establish a cannery and dehydrator in this city, as the Council has decided to submit the proposal to the electors. The plan calls for a bond guarantee of \$25,000. Re-affirming its stand in favor of amalgamation of the two United Churches operating in Vernon, the official board of Central Church has appointed seven members to act as a committee to confer with delegates from St. Andrew's Church. Vernon and Merritt hockey teams meet here Monday in the second and last game of the Provincial intermediate hockey finals. Kootenay winners have defaulted. At Merritt Wednesday, Vernon lost 5-4. Beautification of the city through trial plots and propagation beds for shrubs and flowers will be the Vernon Horticultural Society's objective for 1929, according to President Henderson.

Thirty Years Ago—Thursday, Feb. 20, 1919.

President Cossitt, of the Board of Trade, is planning to launch a publicity scheme for this district. Various proposals will be considered at a meeting here Friday. Sir Wilfred Laurier, for many years leader of the Liberal party and Prime Minister of Canada, died at his home in Ottawa this week. His collapse was sudden. The City Council will ask for an amendment to the Municipal Act to empower councils to consolidate arrears of taxes over five years. Directors of the Vernon Jubilee Hospital for the ensuing year: G. A. Henderson, H. W. Knight, Mrs. E. C. MacDonald, E. B. Knight, Mrs. G. Raymond, W. R. Megaw, W. H. D. Ladner, A. McAuley, P. Dickson, R. W. Neil, Mrs. W. E. Megaw, Mrs. J. I. E. Corbet, A. T. Howe, J. S. Galbraith, Rev. E. P. Laycock, Aldermen Ball and Madden are the representatives of the City Council on the Board and L. Norris is the government representative. Major M. V. McGuire has recently been appointed to the important position of superintendent for B.C. of the Soldiers' Land Settlement Board and will commence his duties immediately.

Forty Years Ago—Thursday, Feb. 18, 1900.

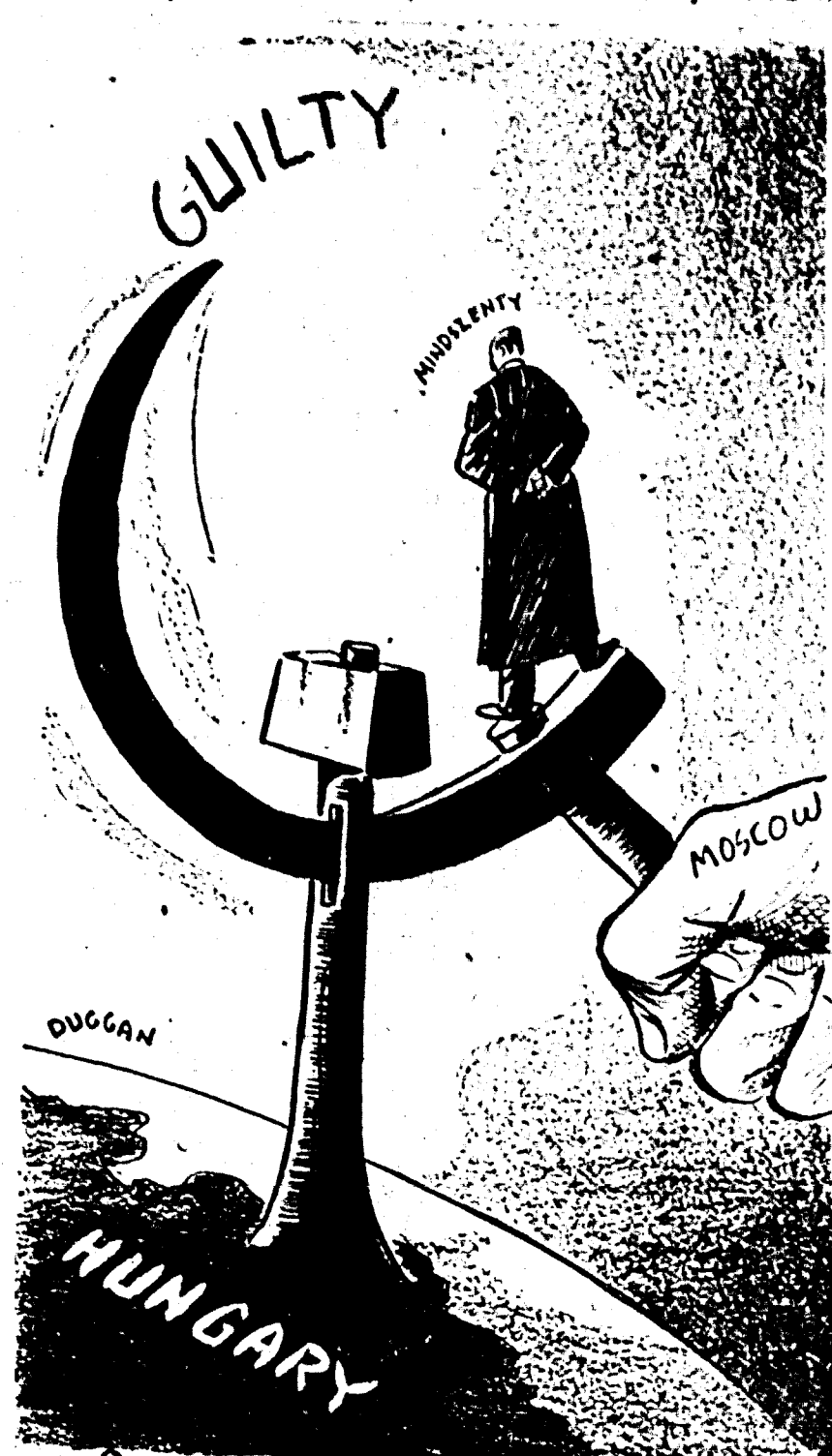
The curling contest for the handsome solid silver cup donated by G. A. Henderson ended on Tuesday. E. S. Jackson's rink of Dr. Corrigan, N. Currie and P. B. Jacques was victorious over J. Hagen's rink of Rev. Logie Macdonnell, A. P. McKenzie and M. V. Allen. D. Babcock, late leader of the Vernon Band, has decided to organize a band in Kamloops. F. Richter, of Keremeos, anticipated a light crop of peaches throughout British Columbia next summer. He says that buds cannot stand temperature of 15 degrees below zero. The last O.M.R. Cinderella of the season was held in the Opera House on Wednesday night of last week, when the orchestra of the regiment under its new leader, Bandmaster Duncan, delighted a large number by an excellent program. The City Council has decided to send a delegation to Victoria to try to obtain from Prince Ellison his water right on Kalamalka Lake. Stephen Freeman in a letter to the paper says that the idea of obtaining domestic water from Grey Canal is not feasible. The water is stagnant.

Fifty Years Ago—Thursday, Feb. 16, 1889.

The skating rink was the scene of unusual excitement on Monday night, a large crowd having gathered to witness the match between two of Vernon's crack skaters, B. Jackson and Charles Fuller. The race was announced to be for \$50 a side and was won easily by Jackson. The ice on Okanagan Lake, south of Kelowna, shows no indication of breaking up yet and there is little possibility that the boat will get through to Pon-ticon for sometime. K. Murk has now got his bath in working order and this in addition to his barber shop is run in first class style. The races on Swan Lake Wednesday attracted a large number of interested spectators and good clean sport was seen in the various events contested by local horses. The crowd was a good natured one and was pretty well divided in the opinion of the merit of the various trotters. Each race was for a purse of \$50.

One Way Scale

By DUGGAN



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By STUART FLEMING

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I don't know who is likely to take the initiative but surely it is possible that before this year is out some group in Vernon will at least investigate the possibility of bringing one or two outstanding musicians here during the next winter concert season. I know that a number of organizations have during the past years sponsored excellent concerts and recitals by talented artists but it is many years, except for the visit of the Don Cossack Choir, since Vernon has sought to bring an internationally famous singer or instrumentalist to the city.

I do not believe it is impossible for the citizens of Vernon to provide themselves with the opportunity of hearing in local performance an artist of the first calibre.

For the past six months I have conducted a radio broadcast devoted to classical and semi-classical music. The number of people who listen to this program regularly is far greater than I ever had reason to believe when it began. And I know in talking to many of these people that they would give a great deal to hear the same music performed in concert rather than through the medium of gramophone records. Most of them have said time and again that they are sure Vernon could hear some of the world's great artists in recital if only some group would take the initiative. They would gladly pay and pay in advance for the privilege of hearing such artists if only there was some means of getting them here.

The possibility does exist. Each year more and more renowned musicians are visiting Vancouver, which means they are within reasonable proximity of this city. Their appearances in Vancouver are arranged many months in advance thus, if Vernon could raise

sufficient money, there is no doubt that an appearance here could be included in the itineraries of one or two of the best of them.

It would not be an inexpensive undertaking. If you desire the best you must be prepared to pay for it and the limited size of Vernon halls would mean that each seat in them would have to sell at a fairly high price. At the same time, if the artist is great enough and if only one or two were to be brought here during the winter season, it should not be beyond the financial means of any person who really wanted to hear them. In addition, the appearance would be arranged and made known so far in advance that budgeting for the concert could be included in the individual's entertainment program.

But not all thought should be given to great artists alone. There are many capable Canadian musicians who need the encouragement of Canadians everywhere. They are achieving wider recognition in Canada all the time and I think that Vernon is prepared to pay its part of that recognition. A few of these musicians have been heard here but a great many more could have been—and could be.

I have heard many young men and women say that one of the great lacks of a town this size is its cultural development. Some of them have said this because they believe it and others because they wish to make a high-sounding noise. It is not altogether true. A great deal of what is implied by the word culture does exist in towns the size of Vernon. There is a great deal of it here. It is, perhaps, not sufficiently recognized. We take a lot of it for granted and don't realize that we have it but the fact remains that there is and always has been a strong and active interest in the various arts in this city. We could encourage this local growth by once or twice a year bringing to the city something approaching the greatest in these arts. By seeing and hearing at first hand the best we would encourage and enrich our own.

My friend, the skeptic, says: "That's a very pretty thought, Fleming. I'll bet you're left with

Income Tax Injustice

For some years Saturday Night has been pegging away, without result, at a clear injustice in the Income Tax Act. Not only has Parliament been deaf to an unanswerable case for reform but, presumably by carelessness, the injustice was aggravated in the amendments of 1936.

The injustice is this: AA married pair both over 65 years with a joint income of \$7,000 earned by the husband gets an exemption of \$2,000. There is \$1,500 for being married and \$500 for the income earner being over 65. The tax paid is \$1,000.

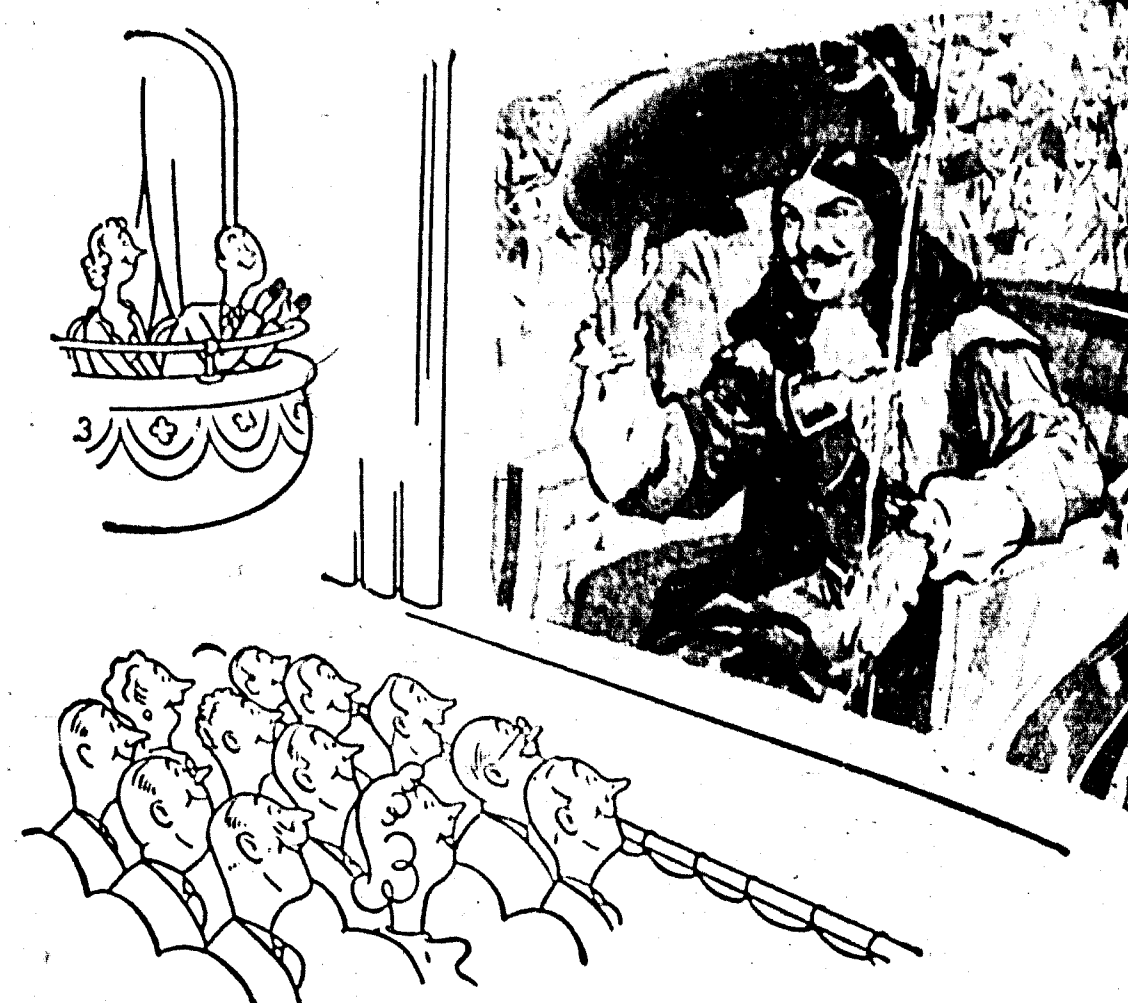
That is one set-of-people. Here is another. A married pair both over 65 has a joint income of \$7,000. The wife earns \$1,250 and the husband \$5,750. Here the tax is only \$800 because the wife as a taxpayer is exempt on \$750 with \$500 for age.

There is a discrimination here of \$110 and Saturday Night says you can work out a division of \$7,000 income between husband and wife over 65 which would result in a tax of only \$840.

Where the income of a married couple is divided, as against all of it going to one of them, there has always been a discrimination in the Income Tax Act. The couple where the income is divided has a wholly unfair advantage.

This discrimination is aggravated by the additional exemption of \$500 granted in the 1936 budget to taxpayers over 65 years of age. If husband and wife are both taxpayers both are entitled to this exemption. If only one, then only one exemption is granted.

There are probably very few people who are injured in this way but Parliament should not be dilatory on this account. A suitable amendment would encounter no opposition. Winnipeg Free Press.



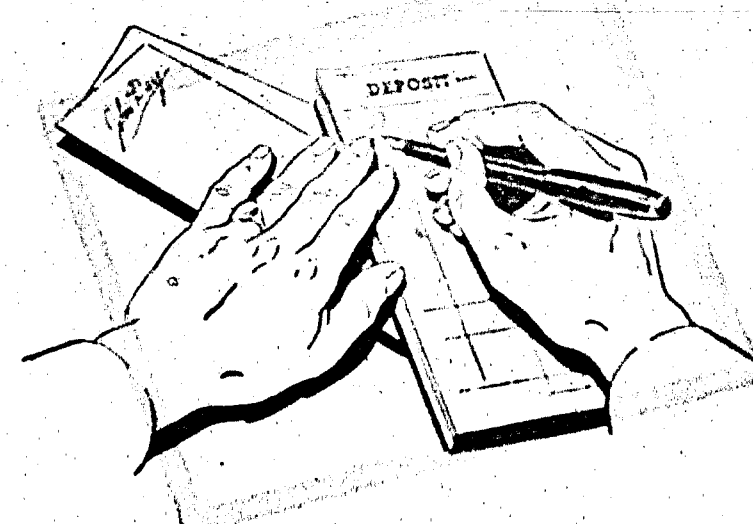
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Sleighriding Party Heaps Of Fun for Enderby Folk

ENDERBY, Feb. 14.—Members of the Baptist Church Young People's Society enjoyed a sleighriding party on Thursday evening of last week, accompanied by the pastor. Members of the North Enderby Free Methodist Church Young People's group. The 25 people who enjoyed the outing were entertained along the ride by Dr. and Mrs. J. Kope at a "waffle party."

Young Indian elephants are hairy when young, showing an affinity with the prehistoric mammoth.

British industrial production in 1948 was eight percent higher than in pre-war years.

Special Service Series Opens at United Church

Commencing next Sunday, when morning and evening services will be devoted to preparation, a week of deeply religious significance will be observed by the Vernon United Church, called "A Time of Refreshment."

Special speakers for the services, which will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock in the church, for radio broadcasts over the local station, and at group meetings in the afternoons, are Rev. R. A. McLaren and Rev. Stewart Crysdale.

Mr. McLaren is a graduate of St. Stephen's College, Edmonton. He is field secretary of Christian Education for B.C. and has organized the Naramata Training School for Lay Readers of which he is principal.

"He is setting a new pattern in our church in the training of promising young people," Rev. G. W. Payne states.

Mr. Crysdale was educated at U.B.C., taking theology at Union College, Vancouver. He has done pioneering work in the Cariboo where only practical, down-to-earth Christianity is accepted, said Mr. Payne. He has been a delegate to the General Council of the United Church owing to his outstanding work. He is now minister for Winfield-Oyama and district.

A Fellowship Hour after each evening service is a special feature of the week's devotions.

Enderby Regular Baptists Undertake Visiting Program

ENDERBY, Feb. 14.—The Enderby Regular Baptist Mission Circle held its regular meeting on February 9 at the home of Mrs. Eadie. The president, Mrs. B. E. Wilson, was in the chair. The Circle will continue with hospital mending, a project undertaken for some time past.

The visiting convener, Mrs. R. Matthews, stressed the importance of visiting newcomers, the sick and shut-ins, and urged members to do this.

Mrs. S. P. Branton was appointed secretary for White Cross work, and was instructed to secure information regarding this work. Mrs. P. Dingman read the poem, "Judge Not," after which Mrs. Healey gave an inspiring message on "Thought."

Authorities in Britain will spend all estimated \$280,000,000 on educational buildings each year for the next 15 years.

In industrial accidents the fingers are most frequently injured.

News of Churches

"Spiritual Food Depends Upon Spiritual Appetite"

By MAJOR GEO. CREWE

The small town in which I spent my boyhood days lacked many things that most people in these days, especially in larger centres, look upon as necessities. Yet, there was one thing to be found there in those days that we find, to a great extent, lacking today—a spirit of worship.

I suppose my home town was no exception to the rule of that day. The majority of the population attended church, and they did not go to be entertained. They went at least once and often twice every Sunday whether there was a new minister, some out-standing speaker, special music, or, as was often the case, the service was conducted by a layman whom they had known all their lives and with whom they were associated in their everyday work.

They were people who worked hard six days a week for the necessities of life, met various trials, joys and sorrows that are the common lot of all. Just as they went to the table three times a day for the food that was necessary to keep strength in their physical bodies, so they attended the House of God in a spirit of worship, to return thanks to Him for His blessings, and to receive strength for the daily battle of life. They went away feeling that they had been strengthened in the inner man, whether they had heard an eloquent sermon, listened to a solo by some visiting artist, or had heard their old neighbour give a simple gospel message and had joined in the singing of the old hymns often without accompaniment.

Not much in the line of entertainment there, still they came Sunday after Sunday, and did not feel that it was dull or tiresome. I think the secret is to be found in Matthew's Gospel: Ch. 5, Ver. 6: "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness; for they shall be filled."

Many Excuses

As I contact people today and converse with them, I find all kind of excuses advanced as to why they do not attend church. I suppose all ministers are familiar with them. They range everywhere from a need to rest on Sunday to the fact that their employment does not give them sufficient exercise, so they must go out and get it on Sunday. Then we find some of those who attend more or less regularly complain that they do not find the service interesting; in other words, they are not being entertained.

Now I am not making excuses for the preacher whom people do not find interesting, if he does not study and prayerfully prepare a message for his people. But does not what we receive from religious services depend largely on the attitude in which we attend?

Do you go to Church to worship God, to seek a blessing and strength for your soul, or do you merely go to have your ears tickled? Do you go to pray for yourself, your family, your neighbour, your minister?

The first Baptist Church in Vernon joined with the majority of the 1,200 churches of its fellowship in Canada, in this recognition of their unity with over 12,000,000 affiliated Baptists throughout the world. Reliable estimates are, so Rev. Theo. T. Gibson told The Vernon News this week, that there are over 4,000,000 Baptists behind the Iron Curtain. To them such international fraternization is forbidden.

During the service on Sunday week, Mr. Gibson read greetings from Rev. C. Oscar Johnson, a great evangelical preacher of the Baptist Church.

Dr. Johnson is laying the plans for a World Conference of Baptists in July, 1950, to take place in Cleveland, Ohio. Officials expect some 20,000 to 25,000 delegates will attend from all over the globe. Mr. Gibson states that he hopes to attend this gathering if possible.

In his message on February 6, Mr. Gibson paid tribute to some of the great Baptists of the past, emphasizing the mission of Baptist people in the world today.

He said this involved three angles: Their distinctive example of liberty to a world in fear; Their central witness to Christ in a changing Christendom; the message of new life for every wanderer from God.

Baptist W.M.S. at Enderby Hears African Missionary

ENDERBY, Feb. 14.—Members of the Baptist Church Women's Missionary Society heard an interesting speaker from the mission field in the church on Tuesday of last week, when A. Beggsfield, of the World Evangelistic Crusade, addressed the group. The speaker recently returned from Africa.

After his talk, Mr. Beggsfield showed curios and pictures of the country. He is a graduate of the P. B. Institute, and will go to the conference which are being held at Three Hills, Alta. During his stay in Enderby, he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wilkie, a missionary in Africa, who will be coming home on furlough shortly.

Members of the Armstrong A.O. T.S. sponsored a play in St. Andrew's United Church, Enderby, early last week. The play was well done. The attendance was not large.

Assistant Named for Anglican Church

An assistant priest has been secured for All Saints' Anglican Church. He is Rev. Grant E. Dale, now at Fort Chipewyan, Alta., in the diocese of Athabasca.

Mr. Dale is a graduate of the Anglican Theological College, Vancouver, and was ordained about four years ago. He is single, and is expected to take up his new duties this summer.

Every hour of the year pulp and paper valued at \$43,000 rolls from Canadian mills.

Salvation Army Has Evangelist Series of Meet

Major James Martin, Saskatchewan and Alberta evangelist of the Salvation Army, will conduct a series of evangelistic meetings in the Salvation Army Hall commencing this evening, Thursday, to Sunday, February 27. Times are set for 6 p.m. weekdays and 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. on Sundays, with children's services at 3:45 p.m. daily.

Major Martin, a native of Scotland, was for some time an acrobatic comedian, but an accident ended this phase of his life, and in due course he came to Canada.

While working in Moose Jaw, he followed the Salvation Army band to its hall, and there he found his life's work.

For the past 22 years Major Martin has been a Salvation Army officer, serving in the three prairie provinces in various positions. He is well equipped for his work, being an outstanding exponent of the scriptures, chalk and oil paint artist and "gospel magician." His messages are said to be equally inspiring to young and old.

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MAJOR J. MARTIN

Commencing tonight (Thursday) and continuing through until February 27th. Special Meetings conducted by Major James Martin, of Calgary, Alberta, in the Salvation Army Citadel, Vernon, B.C.

Over the fence

By W.L. MacTavish

Lately there has been a lot of talk from socialist circles about the profit lumber companies reported this year, with the suggestion that it is shameful if not sinful. Do these socialists think back more than a year or so?

There was a time, and it isn't very many years ago, when there were no profits in the lumber business, or none to speak of. The lumber industry was a lot smaller than it is now, because it had to fight desperately for markets for the product, and it did not have the money for really efficient operation to put it on a competitive business basis.

Wages were low, though they were the best the industry could pay. Conditions in the camps were not satisfactory, but they were the best the industry could afford. There was no security for the wage-earners, because the industry could never tell when it would have to shut down for lack of markets.

Top men in the industry toured the world, seeking out markets. Eventually they built up the business to a point where they could see a little further ahead, and began to make small profits. These went into better equipment for the camps, plywood factories, pulpwood mills, better wages for the men and better and more comfortable camps—everything that would make for more efficient operations and improve the lot of the men both by higher wages and greater security.

Profits are still going into that purpose. It is the sound way of developing the free enterprise system.

On thinking back a few years, it is a good antidote when you hear the socialists screaming about excessive profits today.

(The views of W. L. MacTavish are presented in this newspaper weekly under the sponsorship of the British Columbia Federation of Trade and Industry).

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7:15 p.m.—Evening Service, "Why is Christianity to be Feared by Communism?"

Monday
8:00 p.m.—Mission Circle. Mrs. John Kineshanko's home.

Tuesday
8:00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

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Sunday
11:00 a.m.—Combination Service. Sunday School.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Gospel Service.

Monday
8:00 p.m.—Young People's Society.

Tuesday
8:00 p.m.—Bible Study Circle.

Wednesday
8:00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH
Rev. L. A. Cretor
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Friday, Feb. 19
7:15 p.m.—Women's Auxiliary, in Parish Hall.

Saturday, Feb. 20
7:15 p.m.—Junior Confirmation Class, the Rectory.

Sunday, Feb. 21
8:00 p.m.—Choir Practice, in Parish Hall.

Monday, Feb. 22
7:00 p.m.—Adult Confirmation Class in the Rectory.

Tuesday, Feb. 23
7:00 p.m.—Boys' Choir, the Vestry.

Sunday, Feb. 28
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—Matins.
7:30 p.m.—Evening.

Monday, Feb. 29
7:15 p.m.—Sunday School Teacher Training Class, the Rectory.

Tuesday, Feb. 30
8:00 p.m.—Junior Guild, the Rectory.

Wednesday, Feb. 31
8:15 p.m.—Parish Committee (special session), the Rectory.

Thursday, Feb. 32
8:00 p.m.—Junior Auxiliary, Parish Hall.

Friday, Feb. 33
2:00 p.m.—Junior Confirmation Class, Vernon Preparatory School.

Saturday, Feb. 34
7:15 p.m.—Junior Confirmation Class, the Rectory.

Sunday, Feb. 35
8:30 p.m.—Sunday School Teachers' Training Class, Lavington.

Wednesday, Feb. 23 (For St. Matthew's)

10:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Intercessions.

7:30 p.m.—Evangelism, the Chapel.

Thursday, Feb. 24 (For St. Matthew's)

8:00 a.m.—Choir, Parish Hall.

8:15 p.m.—A.Y.P.A., in Parish Hall.

St. James the Less, Lumbly
Sunday, Feb. 29, 9:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.

NOTE: The Rectory will be away from the parish from Wednesday evening morning at the Deacons' Meetings in Revelstoke.

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Okanagan Valley Lutheran Young People's Winter Conference
Opening at 11 a.m.

Sunday, Feb. 20
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service, (Service in English language.)
The guest speaker for the occasion will be the Rev. W. A. Ruedke, of Edmonton, Alta., the Executive Secretary of the Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod.

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2:30 p.m.—Young People's Exercises.
Sunday
7:30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.
7:00 p.m.—Sunday School and Friday.
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Vernon Assessment District

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of Revision under the provisions of the "Taxation Act", relating the assessment rolls for the year 1949, for the above District, will be held as follows:

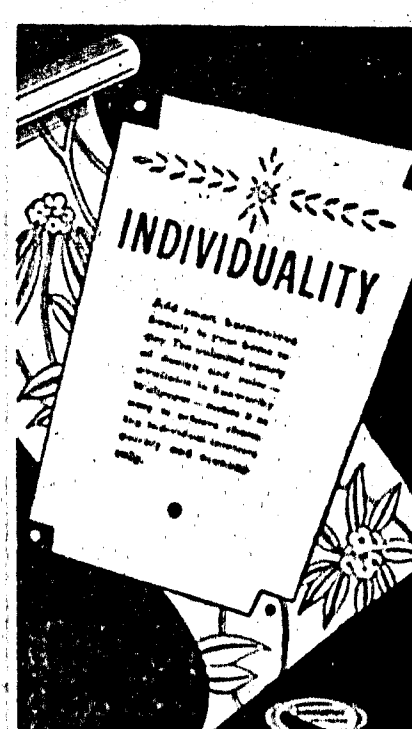
VERNON—At the Court House on Monday, February 28th, 1949, at 10:00 a.m.

KELOWNA—At the Court Room, Casorso Block, on Thursday, March 3rd, 1949, at 10:30 a.m.

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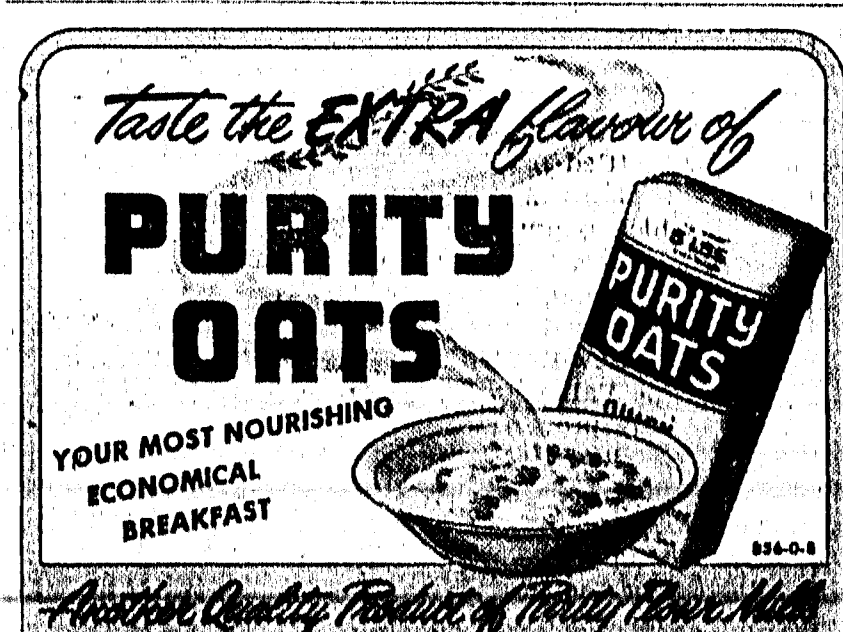
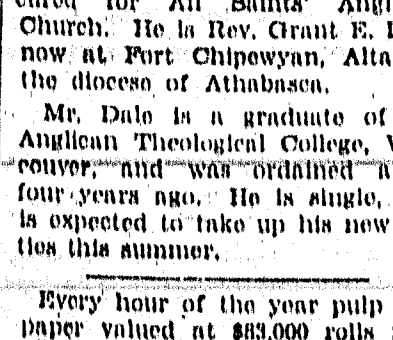
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Heavy Snow Disrupts Work for Woodsmen. In Enderby District

ENDERBY, Feb. 14.—Heavy snow is making it difficult for local men employed in the woods. There is approximately 18 inches of snow on the lower levels and much more in the wooded areas. Woodsmen see potential danger and most cutting has ceased during the past 10 days. Hauling is continuing steadily.

John Pritchard and Pat Strouger returned home from Vancouver this week after a business trip.

Miss Tena Skelly, who has been taking a business course in Vancouver, arrived home recently to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Skelly at North Enderby.

Local bowlers are enjoying the games played daily at the new bowling alley. Several leagues for men and women have been organized, and some keen competition is expected.

A lugger is a small two or three-masted vessel with a running bowsprit and lugsails, generally having two or three jibs.

The name "Nebraska" derives from "Ne-brath-ka," an Indian phrase meaning shallow water.

Cleric Hurls Challenge To Anglican Church Here

—Impressive Service; Addresses

For the first time in 27 years, the impressive Anglican service of Institution and Induction was held in All Saints' Church on Sunday morning.

Presided over by the Right Rev. Frederick P. Clark, third Bishop of Kootenay, Rev. L. A. C. Smith was inducted as rector of All Saints' Parish.

As a symbol or token, the keys of the Church were handed to Mr. Smith during the service by the rector's warden, P. S. Sterling.

Mr. Smith was conducted by the Bishop to various portions of the church, including the baptismal font, the lectern, the pulpit and the altar. Here he promised to officiate at the various rites and services conducted there to the glory of God and the spread of Christ's Kingdom.

The church was crowded to capacity. Bishop Clark preached the sermon, taking for his text: "Alleluia; For the Lord God Omnipotent Reigneth." Special music was rendered by the choir, under the direction of J. A. Manson, organist and choirmaster.

Bishop Clark's visit was brought to a climax at a banquet, served by the Senior Parochial Guild. Mrs. L. R. H. Nash, president; and the Junior Parochial Guild, Mrs. N. Bartlett, president, in the Parish Hall, attended by 102 male members of the congregation.

The tables were decorated with a St. Valentine motif; bowls of daffodils gracing the head table, where guests were:

J. A. Manson, L. R. H. Nash, Rev. Alex Craig, of Salmon Arm; P. S. Sterling, Bishop Clark, Clive H. Reid, Rev. L. A. C. Smith, Medwin Hill, vicar's warden, parish of St. James the Less, Lumby; Rev. Canon Wright, P. A. France and Ted Bailey, people's warden, St. James' Parish, Lumby.

Clive Reid was chairman, and proposed the toast to the King. Mr. Smith welcomed the guests and the visitors from Lumby and Salmon Arm.

Bishop Clark was the guest speaker. His address was divided into two parts: His visit to England last summer, and the problems of the Kootenay Diocese.

Up until 1930, said Bishop Clark the English bishops did not have a very high opinion of American and Canadian Bishops. A very cool welcome was extended clerics from North America on the rare occasions when they met. Since the war, this condition happily has altered. The Bishops assembled at Lambeth Conference last summer were very cordial to visitors from this side of the water. Ideas and experiences were pooled, with the result that suggestions and resolutions from the Conference were sent all over the world.

Bishop Clark stated that the time had come when the Church of England in Canada should be self-supporting. He decided the policy of receiving money from England for churches in this country, which he described as a "land of plenty."

That single men from England with one or two years' theological training are coming to Canada to complete their courses and obtain a Canadian outlook, with the intention of becoming missionaries in remote parts of this country, was a statement by the speaker.

Bishop Clark touched on austerity in Great Britain, reminding his listeners that the chins, tweeds and woollen articles for which factories in the Old Country are famous, are for export only at the present time.

The problems of "men and money" in the diocese were touched on by Bishop Clark, who asked for "male power." "It is active membership we require; it is the help and interest to keep this parish thriving which is the essential," he declared, stressing the benefit of church fellowship.

"This Diocese is only as strong as its parishes," he declared, urging the men to take the lead in church attendance. Children will follow the trend, and make tomorrow's churchmen and women.

"In this parish, there is the strongest leadership of any parish in Canada," Bishop Clark said, stating that he hoped to be Bishop of Kootenay for the next 25 years.

An interesting angle was revealed in that Rev. Canon Wright, of Vernon, is the oldest living graduate of Bishops' University, Lennoxville, where Bishop Clark also trained. He is now the youngest bishop in the English-speaking world. "We should be very happy to have such a man to guide our footsteps along life's pathway," said Canon Wright.

J. R. Kidston thanked Bishop Clark for his address, and the inspiration he brought to the men of the congregation. Mr. Kidston said he hoped the Bishop would often visit in Vernon, "not only as our Bishop, but as our friend."

Harold Whitmore moved a vote of thanks to the Senior and Junior Guilds for the dinner they served. They expected only about 70. Mr. Whitmore said, instead of which they catered for over 100.

On Sunday afternoon in All Saints' Church, Bishop Clark baptised the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fullford, of Vernon, who received the names "Mary Lynn"; and the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Grantham, also of this city, giving her the names "Barbara Louise."

At 9:15 Sunday morning, Bishop Clark conducted a service at the Provincial Government's Home for the Aged, and after the Baptismal service, went to Okanagan Landing for the service there. These Sunday afternoon worship periods are held each week, in conjunction with Vernon United Church.

The Ministerial Association meeting in regular session early Monday morning, heard a short address by Bishop Clark on the subject, "The Anglican Communion and What It Is." Bishop Clark's topic was based on the Lambeth Conference.

Penticton Council Grants Only Eight of 81 Assessment Pleas

PENTICTON.—Of the 81 appeals made to the court of revision, sitting last week, all but eight got a shake of the head from the Penticton Council. Actual reductions in assessments represented only \$3,335, mostly errors in calculation.

Determination to stay with the formula now being established throughout the city was clearly indicated in the Council's attitude. They told applicant after applicant of the need to keep assessments more closely in line with market values of the properties involved.

In case after case either the taxpayer had paid almost double the then assessed value for property or he would not agree to sell for a figure considerably above the value set.

Most of the arguments advanced by the owners were based on their late assessment or adjacent property values.

Dogfish, formerly regarded as a nuisance by fishermen, have now become valuable when their livers were found to contain high vitamin A potency.

Bishop of Kootenay Covers Area of 83,000 Miles

"This weekend was one of the most successful I have experienced since I became Bishop," said Right Rev. F. P. Clark before leaving Vernon for his home in Nelson on Monday night.

In an interview, he said the diocese of Kootenay covers 83,000 square miles, one and one-half times the size of England and Wales. From small settlements in the Crown's Nest Pass, down to the border in the East Kootenays, through to Monte Creek in the North Okanagan—the Diocese of Kootenay covers a vast territory.

Bishop Clark is the youngest Anglican Bishop in Canada, and believed to be the youngest Bishop attending Lambeth Conference in England last summer. He will be 41 years of age on March 17.

Born in eastern Canada, Bishop Clark enrolled in the Divinity faculty of Bishops' University, Lennoxville, graduating in 1932. He was ordained deacon on June 14, 1932, to a curacy at the Church of the Advent, Westmount, in the Diocese of Montreal. He was ordained priest in Christ Church, Montreal, in 1933.

In 1934 he began a six-year association in the Diocese of Qu'Appelle as lecturer and sub-warden of St. Chad's College, Regina. During his years he also served as assistant at St. Peter's, Regina; incumbent of Pense, Saskatchewan; and rector of St. Matthew's, Regina. In 1941 Bishop Clark moved to the west coast, becoming rector of Holy Trinity, Vancouver. During this period he began to share in the wider field of the Church's work as a member of the Provincial Synod of B.C. and its executive committee, and of the General Synod. He became rector of St. Saviour's Pro-cathedral, Nelson, and Dean of Kootenay in 1943.

The Bishop is married and has three children. The Clark family live in Nelson.

Previous Bishops of Kootenay, the late Right Rev. A. J. Dault, and Most Rev. W. R. Adams, now Archbishop of Yukon, have lived in Vernon.

An service between India and Iran started December 9, 1948. The service will operate once a week for the present.

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Progressive Conservative Party

Penticton to Vote On Memorial; Move To Increase Council

PENTICTON.—Saturday, February 20, has been set as the date for holding a referendum in Penticton on the Living Memorial question.

The plebiscite will ask if voters are in favor of placing a money bylaw for a minimum of \$150,000 to complete a Memorial Recreational Centre. All those entitled to vote on a money bylaw may vote on the plebiscite and a straight majority is required to pass.

At the same time, a vote will be taken on a bylaw authorizing an increase in the size of the City Council to six men and a mayor.

Immediate Start On New Hospital Wing

KELOWNA.—Board of directors of the Kelowna Hospital Society were instructed to proceed immediately with plans for the construction of a new wing to the Kelowna General Hospital to overcome lack of accommodation which one medical doctor declared had reached the "danger stage."

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Exposition Group Faces Future With Confidence

Farming Not Made Easier by Application of Science

Speaking on research and education in agriculture, Dr. H. G. Sanders, Dean of Agriculture at Reading University, England, recently told the Interior Branch of the Agricultural Institute of Canada, that, contrary to expectations, science has made farming much more complicated.

Sanders, who is touring Canada and the United States, addressed the meeting while on a tour of the Summerland Experimental Station.

Members in Britain are to be given better extension service through the government through the National Agricultural Advisory Service. This service will combine extension and research, and personnel will be interchangeable between both types of work. The Old Country now has four experimental farms and will eventually have 16. Three to eight extension workers will be placed in each county.

Touching on mechanization of agriculture, Dr. Sanders said that Britain now has one tractor for each 80 acres of farm land, five times as many as before the war. There, as here, the trend in machinery is towards tractor-mounted implements.

Dr. Sanders' remarks on milk production revealed his intense interest in that field. He gave a glimpse into the future when he held the gathering about recent research with iodinated protein. This research is still in the early stages, and results are not at all conclusive, he warned, but indications are that feeding this iodinated protein to cows will increase milk production twenty percent.

Composer Richard Wagner took part in a German political revolution and, as a result, was a refugee in Switzerland for about 10 years.

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Minister

Ok. Mission School Totally Destroyed; \$30,000 In Damage

KELOWNA—A full-scale investigation into the fire which completely gutted the Okanagan Mission School early Friday morning of last week, has been launched by the chief fire marshal for British Columbia, W. A. Walker. The provincial fire marshal was contacted a few hours after flames tore through the wooden structure, causing damage estimated at \$30,000. All that is left standing today is the brick chimney. City power was disrupted for about an hour and a half when a pole, adjacent to the school house, caught fire. For safety precautions, the power was cut in order that the firemen could extinguish the blazing power pole with chemicals. About \$20,000 insurance is carried on the school house.

An additional class-room was constructed last December, and this has only been in use about a month. About 123 pupils filled the three classrooms.

It marked the third school house that has gone up in flames during the past six months.

Canada Trucking Group Headed by Former City Man

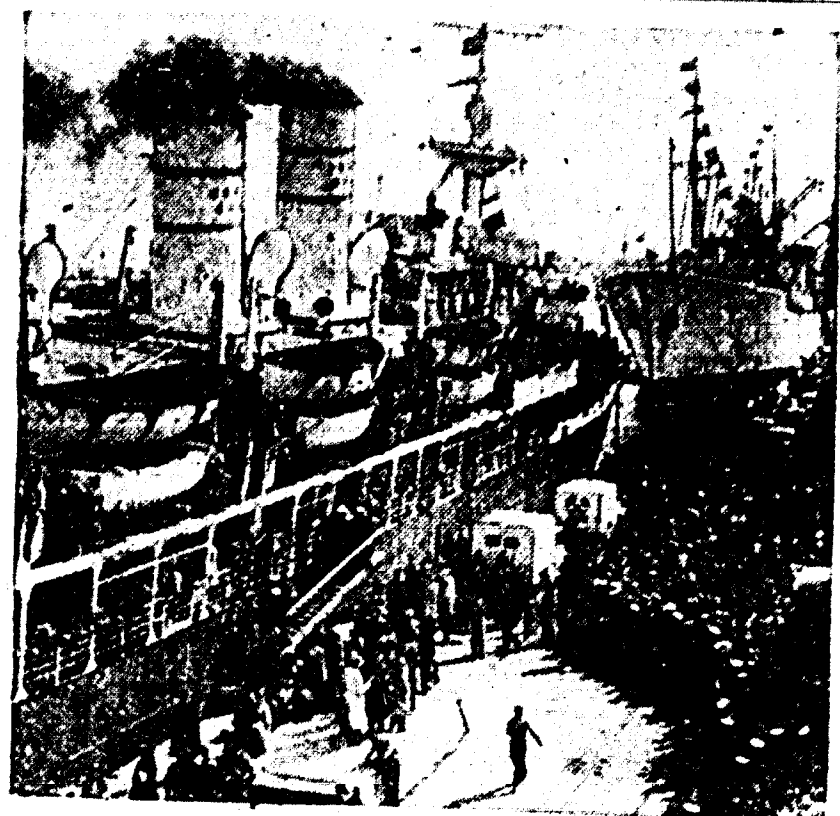
A former Vernon resident, Arthur Harper Muir, now a prominent Vancouver trucker, long time member of the board of directors and two-term president of the B.C. Automotive Transport Association, has been elected president of the organization's national group the Canadian Automotive Transportation Association.

Mr. Muir was born in Vernon a year before the turn of the century. He attended school here until 1915 when he entered the Canadian army as a private, later to serve overseas until the end of the war.

In assuming the presidency of the CATA, he will look after the widespread interests of some 5,000 member trucking concerns in six provinces. His 1949 term will be complicated by the greatest national inquiry, by a Royal Commission, into the country's mixed-up transportation problems, says a recent issue of the Financial Post.

The trucking president is the father of Tom Muir, who operates Muir's Cartage in this city. Mr. Muir visited in Vernon last week.

The porcupine is also known as quill-pig, urson, hedgehog and quiller.



Cyprus Refugees Arrive In Port of Haifa

The first shipment of Cyprus refugees recently by the British are shown as they arrived in the port of Haifa recently. The Israel government called the event "Operation Rescue." The S.S. Gallia, with some 1,500 refugees aboard, was the first ship to carry these people back to their homeland. Thousands welcomed the refugees.

City Will Push Move for Action on Arterial Routes

The City Council last week endorsed a resolution submitted by Port Alberni, urging the immediate implementation of the Goldenberg Remunicipal boundaries.

Port Alberni asked that the city's opinion be communicated to the Union of B.C. Municipalities, who in turn will approach the Government. The Vernon Council took the matter one step further, and C. W. Morrow, M.L.A., attending the current session of the Legislature, was instructed to stress the urgent nature of this implementation.

Alderman George Melvin reported his findings relative to life-saving personnel for Kalamalka Lake Beach, and his attendance at the Red Cross annual meeting in this regard. This subject will receive attention when estimates are prepared. The Rotary Club urged life-guards at the beach on the City Council, through letter, which is receiving the attention of Alderman Melvin's committee.

Objects to Street Closing
T. R. Bulman, of Bulmans Limited, will be "given every opportunity to present his objection" to the proposed closing of 37th Street in an attempt to alleviate the level-crossing situation which has developed in Vernon. Mr. Bulman said his firm would prefer that 38th Street be closed.

Total premiums for one year covering Vernon's volunteer firemen in case of death or injury, amounting to \$210 annually, were authorized.

E. E. Price desires to open a lumber yard on Twenty-fifth Avenue. The site is two acres. The matter was referred to regular meeting of the Town Planning Commission on Friday. "Slow action," commented Mr. Price, who waited on the City Council. There was no Council meeting on January 31, when the matter normally would have been raised.

A request from Spyer and Cousins, on behalf of a client, that a self-service laundry be established in Vernon, was granted. The applicants will be advised of Zoning regulations under the new Zoning Bylaw, soon to be implemented.

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Valley Trades Labor Council Elects Officers

At the annual meeting of the Okanagan District Trades and Labor Council in Kelowna on February 6, W. H. Sands, of Kelowna, was named chairman. W. H. Fleck, also of Kelowna, is vice-president, with Mrs. W. M. Atwood, of Vernon, secretary-treasurer, and W. F. Mahoney, of Kelowna, recording secretary. Chairman of the standing committees in the three main Valley centres are: T. G. Chase, of Vernon; S. T. Jessop, of Kelowna, and E. Olson, of Penticton.

Nine local unions have recently affiliated with the Council. They are: Penticton Civic Employees, No. 308; Vernon Civic Employees, No. 326; Kelowna Hospital Employees, No. 322; Okanagan Valley School Employees, No. 323; General Truck Drivers Union, No. 31; International Association Machinists, No. 1857; International Common Laborers Union, No. 1087; International Association of Firefighters No. 953; United Association of Journeymen Plumbers, No. 170.

Insurance Regulations
The Council heard a report of the Committee which met recently with S. J. Pomfret, Regional Auditor and Coverage Officer for the Unemployment Insurance Commission, to discuss proposed regulations affecting workers in the fruit industry. This subject touched off a great deal of discussion with the delegates, taking a very grave view of the implications. Instructions were given Mr. Sands and Mr. Mahoney to draw up a brief to be submitted to the Commission.

Falling Tree Kills Young Lumby Logger

A falling tree instantly killed Gene Quenel, 32 son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Quenel, of Lumby, on Tuesday of last week at a logging camp about 22 miles north of Kamloops.

Mr. Quenel was born in Lumby and had lived in the district for most of his life. He was married two years ago.

He is survived by his wife; four brothers—Armand, Herbert, Gerald and Ronald, all of Lumby; and three sisters: Lea, Alvina and Anna, also of Lumby.

The body was returned to Lumby for burial.

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Despite Weather, Exposition Had "Insignificant Loss" in '48

Council Supports Drive to Obtain New Post Office

The City Council last week unanimously endorsed the Vernon Board of Trade's action in requesting a new Post Office to serve Vernon. They agreed to give the Trade Board "every support."

That Vernon had been given to understand a few years ago, that a new Post Office here would be a post war project, and that this city was then second on the entire list for Canada, was a statement by Alderman E. Bruce Cousins.

Dishes Rattle, Pictures Sway As 'Quake Felt

KELOWNA—Goods were shaken from store shelves and household furniture shifted when a sharp earthquake rumbled across the Okanagan Valley a few minutes after 8 o'clock Saturday night of last week.

The tremor was felt at Peachland, Kelowna, Westbank, Okanagan Mission and as far South as Naramata. The quake, however appeared sharpest in the Summerland district.

Worshippers at the Summerland Baptist Church rushed from the structure, believing the building had been struck by a heavy truck, as the walls shook and windows rattled. No serious damage was reported and no one was injured.

Several storekeepers in Westbank also reported goods knocked from shelves. In Kelowna district, the tremor was not severe although many people reported pictures on the walls swayed, and dishes rattled in cupboards.

India's government has prepared a five-year rural electrification scheme which will benefit a total population of nearly 4,000,000 in the Central Provinces.

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With faith in the future and confidence that Vernon's annual Okanagan Industrial Exposition will develop with the years, the Exposition Association's annual meeting, held in the Council Chamber on Thursday evening of last week, re-elected Alderman David Howrie as 1949 chairman, and Walter Bennett, vice-chairman.

The Exposition this year will be held on May 11, 12, 13 and 14, and everyone concerned hopes the event will not only coincide with blossom time, but also the weatherman will not repeat his doleful performance of 1948. Sunshine in the Okanagan Valley does not make news very often but the occasional hour when the sun peered through the rain clouds during the 1948 Exposition almost made headlines.

Notwithstanding, the Association withstood a comparatively insignificant operating loss of \$168.93.

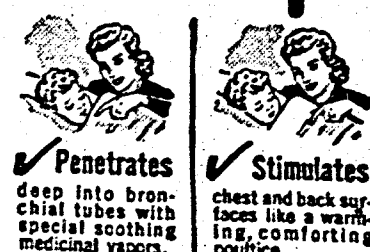
"Even one day of good weather undoubtedly would have resulted in sufficient additional attendance to turn this very small loss into a profit," said J. L. Hellyer, chairman of the finance committee.

Alteration of the bylaws was authorized by the meeting, to conform with the Societies' Act, permitting the board of seven directors to remain numerically as at present, with power to add to their numbers. A representative from each of the city's service clubs, the City Council, Canadian Legion, Board of Trade, Junior Chamber of Commerce, and fish and game club will be asked to sit on the board.

Elected members to the executive are: Mrs. E. T. Buftum, Ian Weir, Guy P. Bagnall, C. B. Morrison and George Anderson, who, with chairman and vice-chairman, make the seven stipulated in the bylaws. A. F. Crowe conducted the elections.

Exposition Beginning
Alderman Howrie said that foremost among the groups to whom credit is given for launching the Exposition is the Vernon Lions

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Enderby I.O.D.E. Planning Many Springtime Activities

ENDERBY, Feb. 14. — Twenty members of the Sir Douglas Haig Chapter, I.O.D.E. attended the monthly meeting on Tuesday afternoon of last week held at the home

of Mrs. F. Brash. Owing to the fact that no more meetings can be held in the Legion Hall, the former practice of meeting in homes of members must be resorted to.

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The bridge party planned for January was postponed, and members decided that a joint undertaking will be held in February, with the convener for both months uniting their efforts.

Mrs. H. Logan and Mrs. M. M. Peel have been working on the afghan, and report this article is almost completed.

The Chapter will assist the P.T.A. and the Lions Club in sponsoring the Empire Day Sports Day next May. Educational secretary, Mrs. Buhler, will make necessary arrangements with these organizations on behalf of the Chapter.

A life member, Miss M. V. Beatle, was welcomed at Tuesday's meeting. This is the first gathering she has attended for some time.

Mrs. E. N. Peel was re-elected regent; Mrs. W. Pantan, first vice-regent; Mrs. H. Logan, second vice-regent; Mrs. M. Johnson, treasurer; Mrs. T. Jeffers, secretary; Mrs. Buhler, educational secretary; Mrs. A. Woodley, standard bearer; Mrs. A. McNabb, Echoes secretary; Miss Shepherd, Empire Study convener; Mrs. E. Webb, film convener; Mrs. A. Bush, post-war service convener; Mrs. J. Kass, flower convener. Councilors: Mrs. F. Brash, Mrs. Ivor (Continued on Page 19)

Of Interest To WOMEN

Over 100 Attend Reception For Bishop of Kootenay

The soft glow of candle-light, the blaze of a wood fire and arrangements of spring flowers defied the winter scene of Monday afternoon, when over 100 people attended a reception tendered by Rev. L. A. C. Smith and Mrs. Smith at All Saints' Church Rectory, in honor of the Rt. Rev. F. P. Clark, Anglican Bishop of Kootenay.

The beautifully appointed tea table, laid with a lace cloth and centred with a bowl of daffodils, flanked with burning yellow tapers in silver sconces, was presided over by Mrs. H. deBeck, president of the Senior W.A., and Mrs. L. R. H. Nash, president of the Senior Parochial Guild, for the first hour; with Mrs. P. S. Sterling, wife of the rector's warden, and Mrs. N. Bartlett, president of the Junior Parochial Guild, pouring for the last hour. Servitors were wives of the Church Committee for 1943: Mrs. J. A. J. Illington, Mrs. R. O. Birch, Mrs. Hugh Brimacombe, Mrs. H. Fisher, Mrs. Eric H. Olmsted, Mrs. A. G. Chaplin. Also assisting were Mrs. George Hoppling, Mrs. A. Sheffield, Miss Grace Nichols and Miss Mary Clarke, the last named from Coldstream.

Song Birds Appreciate Folk Who Feed Them for Winter

The winter which is currently rallying before disappearing, has been a hard one for insectivorous, or song birds. Many women, as well as men, have fed these birds in their back yards during the long, cold weeks when the natural food of the song birds was denied them owing to frost and snow.

Several devices have been used by nature lovers to feed the birds. These must be out of the way of their natural enemies, which run from cats to hawks. Some birds have formed the habit of appearing at the same time each day, for food put out for them.

This food may be crumbs, rolled oats, scraps of fat, a piece of suet hung in a tree, or a meaty bone. One woman fills empty grapefruit shells with warm dripping, and puts three strings through the fruit shell. These baskets she hangs in the trees, where they freeze, and the birds which avail themselves of the fat provide interest and amusement for all the family.

At one home in Coldstream, juncos are most numerous. Although the family cats were bused to the basement, the natural inborn fear of their feline enemy seemed to keep the juncos away, until food was wrapped around a stick bound with string, and hung from an apple bough.

A pavilion, on a single long stick, has been built out in the open. This has a flat roof, which serves as a second feeding platform. The lower, sheltered board is the centre of much activity. Joyous fluttering goes on around this outdoor dining hall. One bright-eyed junco may be the advance scout, as he regularly hops along the path to the door, peering expectantly and intently as if to say: "Isn't breakfast ready yet?"

A Christmas tree has been "planted" before the kitchen window in another home, which faces south. The only birds to seek its branches are a flock of birds with a slate-grey, streaked body, distinguishable by a yellow stripe on the head from beak to the nape of the neck.

One robin, reported seen locally, has disappeared. A family near Long Lake has fed birds all winter. They spread grain on a board near a pond. There have been flocks of ducks, quail and pheasants seeking this food all winter, where the temperature on Saturday morning showed a low of 30 below zero. On Sunday



Liberal Women's Group Sponsors Social Evening

Bridge and cribbage were enjoyed at the Burns Hall on Thursday evening of last week, when the Vernon Women's Liberal Association held a social evening.

The affair was opened by the president, Mrs. R. A. Ferguson, who welcomed the guests and spoke with satisfaction of the Young Liberals' basketball team.

Mrs. J. Simpson was supper convener. Assisting Mrs. Ferguson with arrangements were Mrs. P. Dean, Mrs. J. Loudon, Mrs. W. H. Hall and Mrs. M. Hayward.

Valentine Party For CCYM Group

The Valentine party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Johnson, by the local CCYM group, was voted a real success by all who attended. There were 18 present.

Partners were chosen for quiz and other contests by matching up the names of famous characters of history and literature. Prizes for the successful participants were dainty candy valentines, while the consolation prizes were paper laced bedecked suckers.

The party was brought to a close by moving a vote of thanks to the host and hostess. The guests joined in singing, "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows" before leaving.

The members are agreed that they would like to have more such parties on the winter program.

Canadian Fashion

A youthful dinner gown features princess lines front and discreet back fullness, with bertha collar in contrasting shade. The model above wears it in cocoa taffeta with the collar in shrimp pink.

For the Bride

ENDERBY, Feb. 14.—A popular young bride, Miss A. Johnson, whose marriage was solemnized on Monday of this week, was entertained on February 8 at a miscellaneous shower, when Mrs. J. Kope and Mrs. N. S. Johnson were co-hostesses at the home of the former.

The early part of the evening was spent in contests. During one of these competitions, the honoree received advice regarding her trousseau and kitchen needs. The guests acted in charades the word "procession," which was climaxed by a "procession" arriving laden with gifts.

Miss J. Page gave a vocal solo and Mrs. Healy an original reading. Refreshments were served, after which Mrs. Branton closed the evening with prayer.

W.I. Valentine Tea Raises \$27; March of Dimes

Friday afternoon's Valentine tea, sponsored by the Vernon Women's Institute in aid of the March of Dimes, was definitely a success. The sum of \$27 was cleared.

The affair was held in the W.I. Hall, prettily decorated in red and white. Tea tables were laid with white cloths, with red hearts in the centre and at each corner. The Home Cooking stall was covered with red and white paper, sparked with hearts cut in various sizes.

There were two competitions; one for a cake, won by Mrs. S. J. Viel, and the other for the best Valentine, won by Mrs. C. P. Bag-nall.

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SCREEN FLASHES

Telling the dramatic story of a stubborn cavalry officer who leads his men to disaster in an effort to win personal glory, "Fort Apache" co-stars John Wayne, Henry Fonda, Shirley Temple and Pedro Armendariz in one of the year's most unusual pictures, playing tonight, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Capitol Theatre.

Arizona, during the Indian troubles in the seventies, is the setting for this exciting drama of Indian warfare. Wayne portrays a cavalry captain whose knowledge of the Apaches and their ways is ignored by his new commanding officer, Fonda. Anxious to make a name for himself, Fonda contrives a trap for the elusive Chief Cochise and his warriors, and the result makes for one of the most thrilling climaxes ever filmed.

A million-dollar cast with Humphrey Bogart, Edward G. Robinson, Lauren Bacall features the sensational dynamite-packed film, "Key Largo," which is announced as the Capitol Theatre's next picture starting on Monday. In addition to the above trio of stellar names, Linn Barrymore and Claire Trevor are featured, and Thomas Gomez and John Rodney are cast in important supplementary assignments.

Many hits stand out in the vivid drama set against the tropical Florida Keys. Bogart engages in stiff combat with a flock of mobsters. Robinson tries a special brand of whispering conquest when he makes a play for Miss Bacall. Barrymore fairly burns with insults when the gangsters take over his hotel.

"Deep Waters," the tidily-heralded hit starring Dana Andrews in the most rugged of his portrayals, and beautiful Jean Peters in another role to match her "Captain From Castile" triumph, opens tonight, Thursday, at the Empress Theatre. A drama packed story of the sea and a man it possessed, and the apoll it cast on a romance that was ruled by turbulent tides is being acclaimed as one of the most unusual love stories ever to reach the screen.

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English Children Cheered By Gift from Vernon School

A gift of candy from Vernon Elementary School children helped to make Christmas happier for small youngsters who are pupils at Hinderwell Road Infant School, Scarborough, England.

Vernon kiddies contributed pennies, nickels and dimes. The accumulated total was used to buy a big box of "sweets," sent Overseas.

The enthusiasm with which this gift was received is indicated by clippings from a Scarborough newspaper, sent to Vernon by Miss Betty Baillie, a school teacher from this city who has changed places with Miss J. K. Taylor, of the Hinderwell School.

The candy was brought into the Hinderwell Road School Hall on a sleigh, drawn by children wearing large maple leaves on wind-breakers, with parkies and pants tucked into Arctic socks. This is described by the newspaper as "Canadian costume." The occasion was also the school's annual "parent's day" and concert, when almost 200 mothers and friends attended, to be entertained by the children and conducted around the decorated classrooms to see the work on display.

The headmistress, Miss G. Rhodes, told the visitors that the Hinderwell School will send a scroll with good wishes and thanks for the Canadian gift, together with a mounted photograph of the school, with the children's names around it, to the Elementary School in Vernon. At this writing, it has not been received.

Principal H. K. Bealisto gives Miss Taylor, currently teaching Grade I, credit for the idea.

By MABEL JOHNSON

A Friendly Chat

I would like to introduce Miss Mollie McGee, newspaper correspondent and magazine writer. She has "covered" such events as the Jubilee of the late King George V and Queen Mary; the coronation of the present King and Queen; the Royal Tour in 1937, and was correspondent for Canadian Press during the war.

Comparatively few local residents heard her address last week to the Canadian Club, which was intensely interesting, but not nearly so much so as an interview I had with her.

Seventeen Years Ago

Miss McGee earned her laurels the hard way. Her first adventure into the field of wide things was when she went to the Imperial Conference in Ottawa in 1932 to interview the distinguished women delegates. In addition to her newspaper work in the early thirties she "covered" Montreal society for "Mayfair," and for a short time operated an advertising paper of her own in Montreal.

Miss McGee is contemplating writing a book, "but I don't ever seem to have the time." She is a keen observer of the European scene. Commenting on the trial and sentence of Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty which has shocked the civilized world, Miss McGee said she had a long interview with the Cardinal two years ago. "I am horrified at his pictures in the newspapers. He looks terrible. It does not seem possible that such a change could take place in two years."

What of Today?

Asked about the war: "I am not nearly important enough to give an opinion, but I have one, and it is this: There will be no war with Russia, so long as no one does some otherwise trivial thing which will tip the scales."

At the beginning of her career on the Montreal Herald, her major assignment was a daily column for the front page, run under the heading of "Dear Chief," and signed "Molly." She and a Herald staff photographer went out in search of the unusual, or what is called "human interest" stuff. Looking for "copy," they unearthed many an interesting angle of Montreal life, principally from ordinary people, such as the janitor of an office building who turned out to be a poet, the milkman and his T.B. stricken wife, and the hundred and one angles in the lives of working people. One morning her editor asked her to interview a couple called Mr. and Mrs. Mouse. The inevitable question arose: Are they the "Mouses" or the "Mice"? She tells also of going flat-hunting with a famous opera singer, and of the delight of the Mayor of Montreal when on one occasion she came out flat-footed on the side of votes for

women, at a time when women were denied the franchise in Quebec. It "tickled" the Mayor to such a degree that he sent Miss McGee five dozen carnations, in mid-winter. At another period, she was given a free hand in the House of Commons, and at one time ran a "beauty contest for men only." In conjunction with Agnes McPhail, by this time she was also covering Montreal society for the Canadian Press, and that year King George V died, and she was sent to London to "cover" subsequent happenings.

Experience Best Teacher

That many of Canada's foremost journalists have come up the hard way, with no benefit of schools of journalism, was a statement by Miss McGee, who herself has had no such training. "But do not think I am decrying journalistic courses; they are excellent. I simply never had the time," she said.

Of "Australian-Irish" parentage, educated in Montreal, Toronto and London, Miss McGee speaks French and other languages. Her home is in Oakville, Ont. Her mother died during the last war in England, and left Miss McGee a house in Sussex. This she rents for eight or nine months every year. "But I like to entertain my Canadian friends there in the summer—if you go over this year or in '50 do let me know. I should love to see you!" (What a hope...!) She also has a flat in London. Her visas are ready, and she will fly back to England and the Continent next month, after the first visit to her sister in Oakville since 1944.

On D-Day

Her amazing "luck" or ability to recognize a "hunch" led her to buy a ticket for Dover three days before D-Day. She said she hung about the little town, wondering sometimes why she had come. On the night of June 5, she knew. Two other newspapermen and herself were the only press representatives on the quays when our men embarked for Normandy. These three people told the world all that censorship regulations would allow of that historic occasion.

Later that day she was allowed to cross to Normandy by air, and returned with the first wounded Canadians to be sent to England by plane.

I asked her how she "handled" this assignment.

"I just wrote about a column, simply describing what I saw," she said.

She obtained many "scops," as they are called in our trade, through "playing ball" with censors, military officials, and the amazing human network called "security" which guarded the safety of our men. I asked her how big-time news agencies and newspapers accepted women in important newsgathering posts. "They don't accept us readily. At first they are quizzical. It is no use thinking that feminine wiles will get you anywhere. Hard work and fair play are the signposts of recognition and success," she said.

A Hard Life

"Newspaper work constitutes a hard life. Let no young girls think they are in for a glamorous experience. They will have the most interesting job in the world, but none of it is easy. Top-notch correspondents are strong men. You have to be able to do without proper sleep and even food on occasions," Miss McGee says that she is a robust type. Continuing: "It is the last little bit that counts in our business. If you have the strength and endurance to pound out a column of 'what you saw' at the end of a 14 or 16 hour day, you MAY make the grade."

One of my editors once said to me: "Molly, write 500 words on something that pleases you. Put it away until tomorrow. Then get a black pencil and strike out all your favorite phrases. Rewrite it, and then you MAY have something fit to use." The hardest writing in the contest to read.

The Secret
We will call the head of the Canadian Press Bureau "G.H." Actually that is an abbreviation of his first name, Miss McGee said she asked him once the secret of his success. "Molly," said he, "I roll up my sleeves, I put my fingers

For the Bride

OYAMA, Feb. 15.—A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. H. White recently in honor of Miss Marion Myers, whose marriage takes place early in March.

The gifts were hidden under a table covered with a large cloth. Miss Myers was given a ball of string and had to wind it up, following it all around the house until she found the gifts.

Following opening of the packages, a buffet supper was served by Mrs. White and a number of friends of the honoree. By way of diversion a sing-song around the piano was enjoyed by some of the guests, who numbered about 35.

ENDERBY, Feb. 15.—Another social event honoring Miss Edna Johnson, a much feted bride elect, was held at the home of Miss Margaret Hill on Thursday evening of last week, when she was co-hostess with Mrs. Don MacPherson at a miscellaneous shower. Twenty-five guests attended.

The honoree's chair was decorated with pin and white streamers, where Miss Johnson was presented with a miniature garage, full of beautiful gifts. Games and contests were played during the evening, which concluded with refreshments.

ENDERBY, Feb. 15.—On Wednesday evening of last week, Mrs. Jim Sutherland and her sister, Miss Evelyn Scott, entertained in honor of Miss Edna Johnson at the home of the former, when 20 guests attended.

The rooms were decorated with pink and white streamers, wedding bells, white narcissi and daffodils. The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth, centred with a bowl of daffodils and narcissi. White streamers were caught at the corners with large bows. Upon arrival, each guest was presented with a corsage of red and white hearts, surrounded with a lace frill. Games and contests were played, after which Miss Scott presented the honoree with a replica of a taxi, decorated with streamers, containing a wide selection of gifts. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

Falcons are being trained to keep nuisance birds off British airfields to stop them from harassing pilots when taking off and landing.

on my typewriter, and... I write... one... word... after... another... And to any aspiring journalist, there you have it!

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Enderby I.O.D.E.

(Continued from Page 18)

Holly, Mrs. Bradford. Visiting conveners, Mrs. W. Panton, Mrs. E. Webb; overseas parcel convener, Mrs. H. McAllister.

Refreshments were served at the conclusion of business. The next place of meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Stillwell.

Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. W. Stillwell received congratulations from a host of friends on Tuesday of last week, the occasion of their 39th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Billing left for Vancouver last week to visit friends.

Gordon Hazard was a recent visitor in Vancouver, accompanying a Kineshanko. They made the trip by motor and report it one of the worst they have ever made, owing to road conditions.

Jack Smith left the beginning of last week for a business trip to Calgary and Edmonton, Alta., returning last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sutherland, accompanied by Mayor and Mrs. Howard Logan, motored to Kelowna on Sunday.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Caswell last Friday were the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byrne, of Vernon, who attended the Enderby ice carnival.

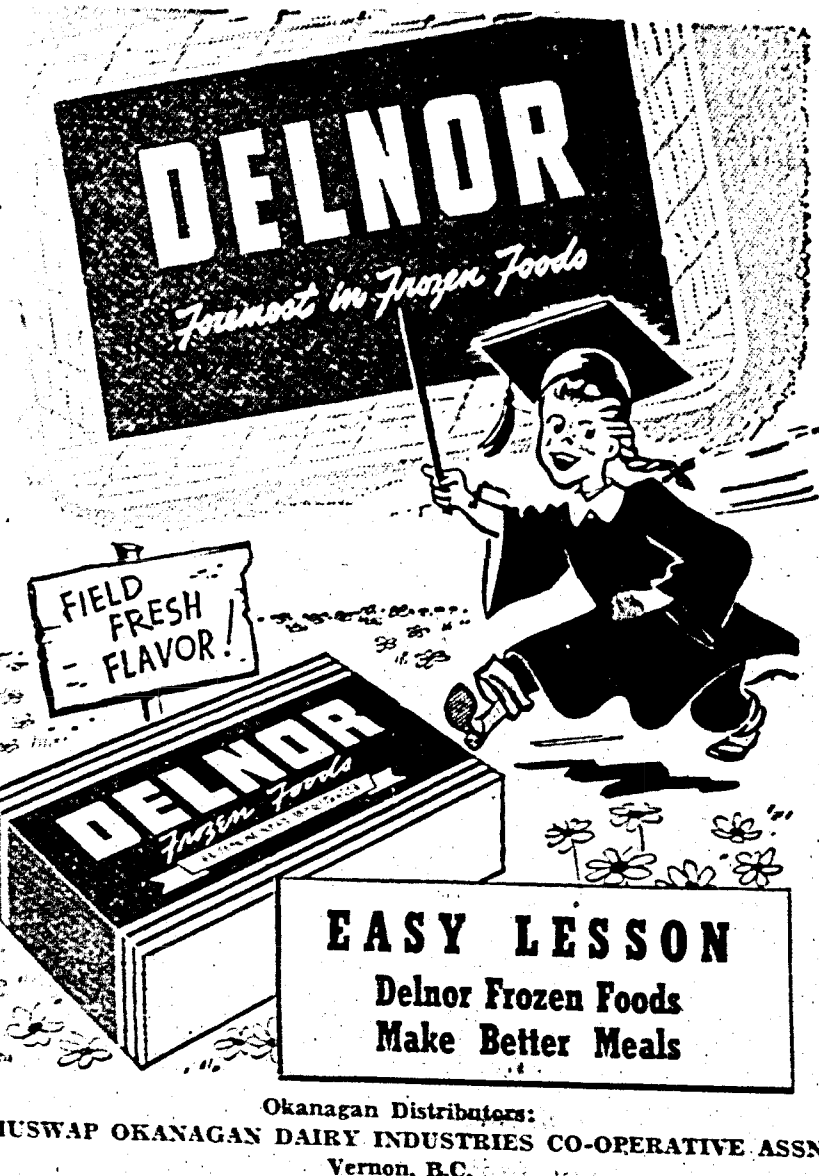
Enderby friends of Mrs. Bradford are sorry to hear of the death of her son-in-law, Eugene Quessel, killed in an accident near Kamloops. Mr. and Mrs. Quessel resided in Kamloops. Mrs. Bradford left for her daughter's home last Thursday.

One of the important contributions of the Greeks to humanity was a system of logic.

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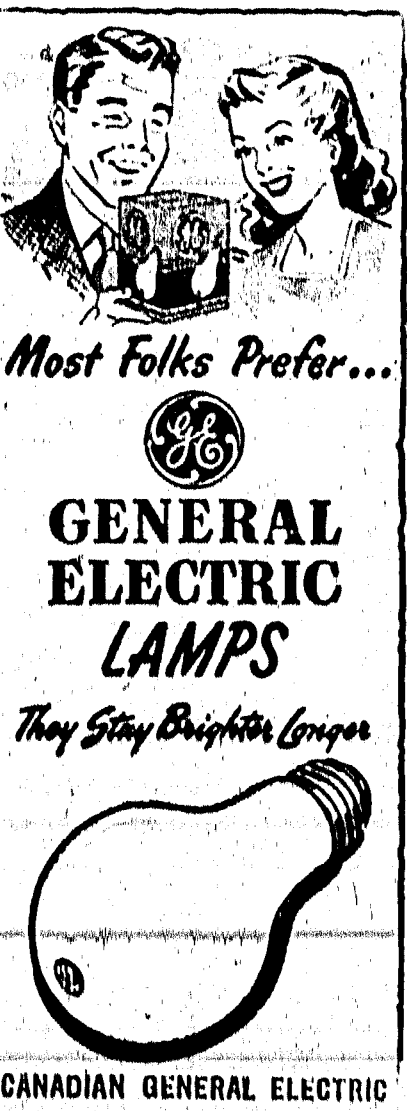
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City of Vernon Financial Statement for 1948

Auditor's Report

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Vernon, Vernon, B.C.

Gentlemen:

I beg to report that I have examined the books and records of the Corporation for the year ended December 31st, 1948, and present herewith, duly signed by the Treasurer and certified by me:

"A" Balance Sheet.

"B" Statement of Receipts and Disbursements.

"C" Statement of General Revenue and Expenditure.

"D" Schedule of Bonded Indebtedness of the City.

BALANCE SHEET

CASH ON HAND—This was verified by actual count. The Bank Balances were verified by comparison with your books of account and with certificate obtained from your Bankers.

LANDS ASSUMED \$1,080.00—As a portion of the lands assumed at tax sale have been sold in excess of the cost to the City and as there are still lands remaining unsold, for purposes of the statements they have been set up at a nominal value.

SINKING FUNDS—I have examined these Securities and found same in order, with coupons attached. I have examined other Securities set out on the Balance Sheet and found same in order.

CERTIFICATE

I beg to report under Section 384 of the Municipal Act, that:

(1) I have obtained all the information and explanations I have required.

(2) In my opinion the Balance Sheet referred to in this report is properly drawn up so as to exhibit truly and correctly the state of the affairs of the Corporation according to the best of my information and explanations given me and as shown by the books of the Corporation.

(3) I have found all payments properly vouched and authorized through the Minutes of the City Council.

(4) In my opinion the records and forms in use are suitable to the requirements of the Corporation.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) LEIGHTON E. TRIPP, F.A.E.,

International Accountant.

Vernon, B.C.

January 28th, 1949.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities

As at December 31st, 1948.

ASSETS

Cash on Hand	\$ 635.52
Cash in Bank—General Account	18,601.99
Cash in Bank—Relief Account	50.00
Cash in Bank—Disposal Fund	6,289.12
Cash in Bank—Equipment Fund	7,701.40
	\$ 33,278.03

ARREARS ON TAXES:

1947 and Prior	\$ 1,697.72
Taxes 1948—Uncollected	5,879.51
	\$ 7,577.23

RATES:

Arrears, Water Rates	\$ 1,344.98
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ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:

Severing Arrears	\$ 75
Sewer Construction Accounts	11,593.47
Cement Sidewalk Account	579.93
Civic Arena Commission	10,250.33
	\$ 22,424.48

REAL ESTATE AND CITY PROPERTY:

Lands Assumed	\$ 1,080.00
Fixed Assets—See Schedule "A"	1,121,445.86
Lakeview Subdivision	4,801.14
	\$1,127,327.00

SPECIAL FUNDS:

Special Levy—Dominion Bonds	\$ 11,300.00
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RESERVE FUNDS—BY-LAW 829:

Dominion Bonds	\$ 10,000.00
Cash in Bank	1,854.63
	\$ 11,854.63

Tax Sale Account—Bank

	\$ 3,788.50
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TRUST FUNDS:

Fletcher Trust	\$ 200.00
Hankey Trust	1,032.98
Elks Trust	1,306.20
City Hall By-Law 906	10,339.08
	\$ 12,878.26

BY-LAW FUNDS UNEXPENDED:

Public Works:	
Cash in Bank	\$ 4,118.18
Dominion Bonds	40,000.00
	\$ 44,118.18

Domestic Water:

Cash in Bank	\$ 3,998.49
Dominion Bonds	5,000.00
	\$ 8,998.49

B.X. Dam—Cash in Bank

	\$ 16,839.80
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Parks:

Cash in Bank	\$1,374.97
Dominion Bonds	5,000.00
	\$ 6,374.97

Sewer—Cash in Bank

	\$ 693.33
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Girouard Creek:

Cash in Bank	\$ 5,089.04
	\$ 82,113.81

SINKING FUNDS:

Savings Bank	\$ 15,245.05
Province of B.C. Bonds	28,400.25
Dominion War Bonds—Par Value \$71,700.00	71,735.00
Dominion War Savings Certificates:	
Par Value \$2,900.00	2,320.00
City of Vernon Debentures	102,000.00
	\$ 219,707.20

\$1,533,594.12

LIABILITIES

Accrued Interest on Debentures	\$ 3,484.58
Debenture Liability	1,350,818.00
Public Aid Advances	120.13
	\$1,354,422.71

SPECIAL FUNDS:

Special Levy	\$ 11,300.00
Reserve Funds By-Law 829	11,854.63
Reserve for Equipment Replacement	7,701.40

TRUST FUNDS:

Electric Light Deposits	\$ 1,308.00
Water Deposits	5,000.00
Fletcher Trust	200.00
Hankey Trust	1,032.98
Elks Trust	1,306.20
Trade License Deposits	2,184.79
Girouard Creek By-Law	200.00
Parks By-Law	239.87
Domestic Water By-Law	1,370.57
Public Works By-Law	9,504.00
	\$ 35,124.02

SURPLUS

	\$ 112,100.70
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\$1,533,594.12

(Signed) J. W. WRIGHT, Treasurer.

Statement "A" referred to in my report of even date.

Vernon, B.C.

January 28th, 1949.

(Signed) LEIGHTON E. TRIPP, F.A.E.,

International Accountant.

Schedule of Fixed Assets

As at December 31st, 1948.

Public Works Equipment	\$ 3,000.00
Fire Protection Apparatus	4,600.00
Roads and Bridges	75,000.00
Cement Culverts	3,416.93
Cement Sidewalks	39,450.00
Less 1948 Depreciation	850.00
	\$ 38,600.00
Waterworks System	\$ 116,000.00
Less 1948 Depreciation	5,000.00
	\$ 111,000.00
Disposal Works Construction	\$ 38,000.00
Less 1948 Depreciation	1,500.00
	\$ 37,000.00
Sewer System	\$ 54,000.00
Underdrainage System	7,500.00
Health Department Equipment	2,500.00
Girouard Creek Improvements	21,238.03
City Hall Furnishings and Equipment	250.00
Fire Hall Furnishings	106.00
Geol. Furnishings	50.00
Maps and Reports	635.00
Street Lighting System	7,935.20

REAL ESTATE AND BUILDINGS:

Municipal Lands and Buildings	\$ 23,800.00
Cemetery	50.00
Gravel Pit	1,500.00
Lakeview Park	2,000.00
Polson Park	10,500.00
Kalamalka Beach	8,000.00
Airport Site and Expenditures	7,025.20
Civic Arena	\$ 45,000.00
Less 1948 Depreciation	1,000.00
	\$ 44,000.00
Civic Arena—Refrigeration Pipes	1,000.00
School Sites and Buildings	\$ 246,000.00
Less Depreciation	4,000.00
	\$ 242,000.00

CONSTRUCTION UNDER 1946 AND 1918 BY-LAWS:

Roads	\$ 138,755.86
Sewer	9,607.77
Parks	15,274.11
Fire	17,553.37
Water	120,410.64
BX Dam	85,117.75
	\$ 396,719.50

CONSTRUCTION UNDER 1946 BY-LAW:

Airport	\$ 18,000.00
	\$1,121,445.86

Schedule "A".

(Signed) J. W. WRIGHT, Treasurer.

Vernon, B.C.

January 28th, 1949.

(Signed) LEIGHTON E. TRIPP, F.A.E.,

International Accountant.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements

As at December 31st, 1948.

TAXES:

1948 Levy:	
General Tax	\$ 35.82
School	14.64
Sinking Funds	8.04
Mill Rate	58.5
Local Improvements	116.00
Okanagan Telephone	941.10
Total Tax Levy	\$ 257,386.47
Percentage Additions	778.45
	\$ 258,164.92
Less Unpaid	5,879.51
	\$ 252,285.41
Arrears 1947 and Prior	\$ 3,850.34
Interest on Taxes	202.31
	\$ 4,052.65
Sale of Lands	\$ 4,052.65

OTHER TAXES:

Dog	\$ 1,864.50
Road	1,878.55
Bicycle	775.20
	\$ 4,518.25

Licenses—Trade

	\$ 12,583.50
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PERMITS AND FEES:

Building Permits	\$ 1,831.48
Cemetery Plots	1,545.00
Electric Permits	576.20
Garbage Fees	288.00
Sewer Inspections	126.00
Sewer Rates	\$ 6,847.88
Sewer Connections	5,955.00
Less Expense	892.22
	\$ 5,095.90

GOVERNMENT GRANTS:

Motor Vehicle	\$ 12,714.65
Sales Tax	24,314.45
	\$ 37,029.10

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE:

Police Fines and Costs	\$ 7,374.50
Waterworks Rates Collected	56,783.35

SUNDRIES:

Rents of Lands and Buildings	\$ 1,376.50
Miscellaneous	95.40
B.C. Power Commission Refund	6,288.40
Tax Sale Cost	11.00
Emergency Housing	7,555.93
	\$ 15,327.29

Arena Commission Reimbursements on yearly

Sinking Fund	\$ 1,708.00
Lakeview Sub-Division	2,950.00
Silver Star Project	11,177.34
BX Dam By-Law Sale of Bonds	111,957.55

SCHOOL BOARD:

Debenture Liability and Interest	\$ 12,346.00
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TRUST FUND RECEIPTS:

Interest on Special Reserve	\$ 316.57
Interest on Elks Fund	27.63
Interest on Hankey Fund	10.30
Interest on Equipment	7.47
Public Aid	71.27
	\$ 433.24

RESERVE FUND—City Hall Interest

Disposal Plant	\$ 102.70
	\$ 46.94

SINKING FUNDS:

Interest on Sinking Funds	\$ 4,048.71
Withdrawal from Bank	11,232.66
	\$ 15,281.37

NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS:

Water Deposits	\$ 495.00
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INTEREST ON BY-LAW BANK ACCOUNTS:

Public Works	\$ 1,880.55
Parks	150.00
Domestic Water	830.55
Girouard Creek	239.60
	\$ 3,100.70

BY-LAW SALE OF GOVERNMENT DEBENTURE INVESTMENTS:

Girouard Creek	\$ 5,000.00
Water	15,000.00
Public Works	15,000.00
	\$ 35,000.00

BY-LAW BANK WITHDRAWALS:

Parks	\$ 553.33
Fire	92.83
Sewer	2,626.76
Roads	3,900.15
	\$ 7,173.07

\$ 601,402.82

PAID ON 1948 LIABILITIES:

Interest on Debentures	\$ 3,851.25
Trade License Deposits	50.00
	\$ 3,901.25

Debenture Interest

	\$ 31,242.90
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ROADS AND BRIDGES:

Roads Maintenance	\$ 27,508.18
Garage	5,699.47
City Yards	1,995.74
Underdrainage	3,643.61
	\$ 7,646.43

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	\$ 3,901.25

Debenture Interest

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STREET LIGHTING:

	\$ 31,200.57
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PARKS AND CEMETERIES:

Parks Maintenance	\$ 6,104.24
Kalamalka Beach Maintenance	564.54
Trees	1,591.54
Cemetery Maintenance	3,256.05
	\$ 11,516.37

HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Rest Room	\$ 521.04
Garbage Expense	10,211.73
Health Maintenance	4,058.22
Disposal Plant Expense	9,270.69
Ambulance	183.72
Health Unit	\$ 1,831.00
Less Receipts	900.00
	\$ 931.20

HOSPITALIZATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE:

Hospitalization Charges	\$ 7,698.70
Public Aid	1,648.18
Social Assistance	\$43,037.56
Less Reimbursements	34,153.86
	\$ 8,883.70

TRANQUILLITY:

	\$ 1,579.60
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DONATIONS—1948:

Board of Trade	\$ 1,512.00
Red Cross	100.00
Shrine Children's Treats	50.00
Flora Council	250.00
Women's Institute	25.00
Library Board	800.00
Salvation Army	150.00
Cancer Fund	100.00
Flood Relief	1,055.00
Junior Chamber of Commerce	250.00
City Band	1,000.00
Inter-Provincial Fair	35.00
Institute for the Blind	50.00
Vernon Junior Hockey	50.00
I.O.D.E.	5.00
Scout Hall	2

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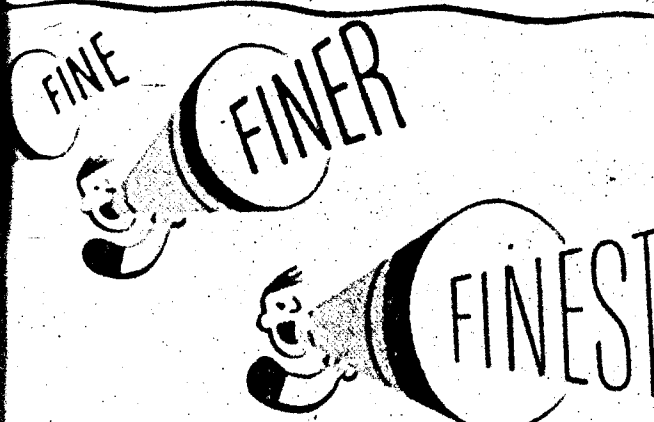
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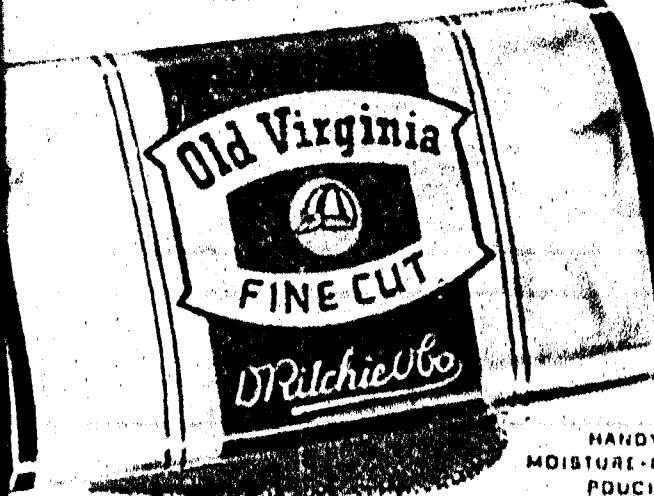
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Exposition Group

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the development of electrical energy. The Industrial Exposition is carrying on the spirit of initiative exemplified by pioneers, declared Alderman Howie.

The Exposition Committee, formed in 1947, obtained the approval and support of the Hon. Leslie H. Eyres and his Department of Trade and Industry, which has supplied for two years, folders to publicize the Exposition.

This year the chief patrons are Premier Byron Johnson, O. L. Jones, M.P.; C. W. Morrow, M.L.A. and R. D. Brownie-Clayton, M.L.A., Alderman Howie said.

Space Enquiries

The objectives of the Exposition are not for Vernon alone but for the Okanagan as a whole. "Our neighbors in Kelowna have been with us the last two years, and have already made enquiries for space for the 1949 show," the speaker declared. Potential exhibitors throughout the province are already enquiring about space.

Much work has been done trying to organize a British Industry Exhibit, but Great Britain does not appear to have enough to spare for a special display. Those in the U.S.A. are held back by austerity.

"None of these drawbacks dampen our belief that, with the co-operation of all, we can make this a real annual show, which will be instructive, educational and inspiring to everyone in the Okanagan," declared Alderman Howie.

Financial Data

The total profit on the sale of space was \$3,576, said Mrs. E. T. Buffum, treasurer, with net profit from the grounds of \$273. Gate receipts were \$4,997, and Royal Canadian Shows, \$635. Expenses for publicity were \$1,088, and for entertainment, \$1,979.

It took 20 men one month to clear up the grounds. Lighting cost \$2,500. The automobile prize brought in \$1,516, and concessions, \$188.81. Office and administration cost was \$2,174.

J. L. Hellyer said that owing to his being temporarily transferred out of the city last April, he could not assist as he would have liked. Most of the work on his committee was done by Arthur McKay, he said.

"In spite of the elements our gate receipts were slightly better than 1947," he declared.

"A number of community minded merchants and townspeople have agreed to underwrite a loss, if any, proportionately in varying amounts up to \$100. The total of such commitments is now in excess of \$2,500," Mr. Hellyer said.

He thanked the Junior Chamber of Commerce for its assistance in manning the gates continuously from noon on, during the four Exposition days, and to Clive H. Reid, who made the audit a public service.

"Commercial space revenue sold to 68 exhibitors brought in a revenue of \$5,205," said Charles McDowell, reporting on behalf of himself and Don Berry as heading the space committee. They advocated more buildings of the drill hall type. "The one we used last year produced \$2,535 of the total space revenue."

Over 100 firms have been circularized in preparation for this year's Exposition, Mr. McDowell said.

Guy P. Bagnall, chairman of the non-commercial exhibits, referred to the "splendid backing" enjoyed from local organizations, praising particularly Vernon and District Fish, Game and Forest Protective Association exhibit.

This, Harry Lomax declared later, will be surpassed by that planned for the 1949 show. He asked if the Association would consider a small grant to the sportsmen. Last year the local club travelled 2,000 miles to get exhibits, and laid out \$200. "Our objectives are the betterment of Canada and the Okanagan Valley, with emphasis on youth," he said.

Mr. Bagnall urged improved lighting. Mentioning the R.C.A.P. the Army, both active and reserve; Air and Army Cadets, Mr. Bagnall praised particularly the beautiful exhibit of Miss J. Topham Brown and her associates, also the schools, whose work "impressed everyone."

He drew attention also to the mining exhibit, in charge of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Crowe; to Independent art exhibits, and to the voluntary work of service clubs and patriotic organizations. "We are merely on the threshold, as far as an Exposition goes," he said.

Bob Carawell, Jr., thanked Mr. Bagnall on behalf of the fish and game club.

Interior Show Window

Walter Bennett, vice-chairman and publicity chairman, told of the co-operation and interest displayed by the Provincial Government. The pamphlet which they printed in 1947 and 1948 will be done again this year, he said. These had a wide circulation.

He referred to the Exposition as "The Show Window of the Interior," and praised firms and individuals, whose work had made the past exhibitions a success.

A. E. Mattook, reporting for the entertainment committee, said that while entertainment may be secondary, it is a "big drawing card." There were over 8,000 admissions to the films," he said later in an interview. Mr. Mattook declined re-nomination on the grounds of pressure of business.

Vernon women's organizations handled entering for meals and light refreshments, said Mrs. Buf-

Council Okays Ninth Church To be Built on Mara Street

Another religious edifice is to be built on Mara Street, which will bring the number of churches on that street to nine.

Last week, the City Council authorized the erection of a building to house St. John's Lutheran Church, on the corner of Mara Street and 43rd Avenue. A playground is located immediately opposite and the church committee will have their attention drawn to this factor, waited on the Council, and members seemed quite aware of this.

Permission was granted to Rev. R. E. Jaska, of the Church of God, to hold camp meetings in MacDonald Park next July or August. The minister promised to leave the grounds clean and undamaged. A large tent will be erected to be used for services only. The location will be changed from that of last year, owing to potential school building.

Street Lights

A one-man delegation from the Vernon Homes Limited subdivision petitioning for street lights on 17th Avenue, was assured this work was in hand.

The question of a sewer, two feet higher than the house in which the petitioner, B. LaMarche, lives, touched off a discussion. Answering a question put by Alderman George Melvin, Mayor Adams stated the city has not accepted the sewers in the subdivision, and the matter remains unsettled.

"I still maintain there should be a proper sewer," said Alderman Melvin. The agreement with Vernon Homes Limited and the City of Vernon did not include sewers. Mr. LaMarche asked permission to build a septic tank.

City Engineer P. G. deWolff said he would investigate the desirability of this work. The question of other vacant lots which in time will be sold, owners requiring sewer connections, was raised.

"Well, we are gradually getting things whittled down," said Mayor Adams, speaking in general terms of services on the Subdivision Building Inspector P. Neville-Smith will be warned regarding these sewer connections, so that he may use discretion accordingly in issuing building permits.

Alderman Fred Harwood spoke on the suggested sidewalk to Kalamalka Lake, insofar as the city is concerned, which means: from the Vernon Box and Pine Co. to the city boundary. Council agreed that this would be a potential six foot wide gravelled pathway. The Provincial Department of Public Works has been asked to continue

Elderly Recluse At Kelowna Dies Leaving \$30,000

KELOWNA.—An elderly recluse, who has been living in a shack on "swamp road" south of the city limits, has died leaving a small fortune. Jacob Gerig, 72 years of age, who came here the latter part of last year, left a total of \$30,000 in stocks and bonds. He had been dead for at least 48 hours in his lonely shack before he was found on Monday afternoon of last week by Corporal Bill Davidson, B.C. Provincial Police.

Cause of death, according to Coroner J. E. Harvey, of Vernon, was pneumonia. Corporal Davidson discovered the body after neighbors living near Gerig's shack on "swamp road" stated they had not seen him for several days.

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Woman Collapses In Church; Dies Before Reaching Hospital

Collapsing during services at the Greek Catholic Church on Sunday morning of last week, Annie Hosnowski, 70, died before reaching the Vernon Jubilee Hospital.

She was born in Austria and came to Canada about 47 years ago, 12 of which she spent in the Vernon district. Mrs. Hosnowski was a prominent figure in the Greek Catholic Women's League organization.

Her husband predeceased her four years ago. Surviving relatives are: four sons, John, William, David and Michael, all of Vernon; and four daughters, Mrs. M. Zachary and Mrs. E. Panagalis, of Arton, Sask.; Mrs. J. Harpnick, of the path to the beach.

City Engineer deWolff stated that he has been instructed to lower Kalamalka Lake as soon as possible, to take care of possible high water. This action will only govern the level to a certain extent, as the inflow is almost as great as the out-flow. Further, people with pumping outfits must be protected to prevent potential freeze-ups.

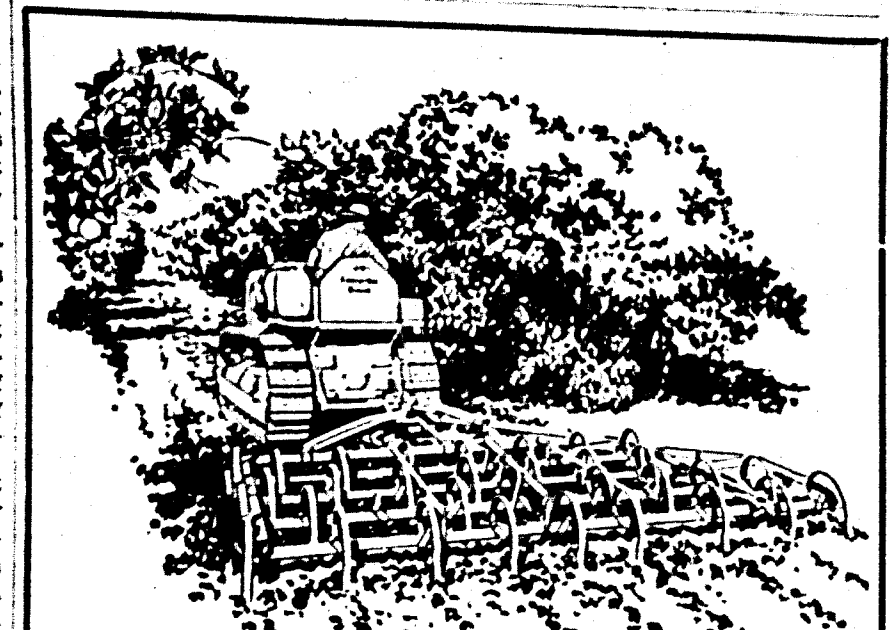
Negotiations for the widening of North Street were finalized on Monday evening. A portion of a lot is required. The owner of this property recently raised his price from \$300 to \$400 for the lot. The city council on Monday evening agreed to this figure, and has sold the remaining 51 feet for \$300.

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New Westminster, and Mrs. J. Sawraki, of Kamloops. She also leaves 23 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from the Greek Catholic Church on Wednesday of last week at 10 a.m. with Rev. A. Chomiak and Rev. R. W. Chochoy officiating. Interment was in the Coldstream Cemetery. Campbell and Winter Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Profit for year ended 31st December, 1948, after deducting management and all other expenses and providing for all contingencies \$ 730,232

Less—Provision for taxes 250,391

Net Profit \$ 479,841

Less—Dividends 320,000

Reserve for Extra Dividend 60,000

Surplus \$ 99,841

Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account, 31st December, 1947 1,210,383

Reserves recovered, no longer required 250,000

Less—Special Contribution to Staff Pension Fund \$ 1,560,224

550,000

Balance carried forward \$ 1,010,224

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1948

ASSETS		LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL	
Readily Realizable Assets		Liabilities	
(less Reserves)		Accounts due and accrued \$ 265,379	
Bonds—Dominion and Provincial	\$17,794,114	Reserve for Extra Dividend 60,000	
Other Bonds	4,389,666	Bank Loans—secured by pledge of securities 6,918,550	
Stocks	1,023,342	Funds for Guaranteed Investment 15,804,358	
(Not exceeding market values)		Liabilities \$23,048,287	
Cash	\$23,207,122	Capital	
Loans	339,405	Capital Stock—100,000 shares fully paid—\$20.00 par value \$ 2,000,000	
Sundry Accounts	4,248,589	Reserve 5,000,000	
Readily realizable assets	\$27,877,010	Undivided Profits 1,010,224	
Other Assets		Capital \$ 8,010,224	
(less Reserves)		Total Liabilities and Capital \$31,058,511	
Mortgages	2,028,012		
Stocks of Subsidiary Companies	191,033		
Premises	962,455		
Real Estate held for sale	1		
Total Assets	\$31,058,511		

ASSETS UNDER ADMINISTRATION

Funds and Investments of Estates, Trusts and Agency Accounts under administration—at nominal values \$927,246,623

Company's Own and Guaranteed Account Assets 31,058,511

Security held against Contingent Liability 9,382

Total Assets Under Administration \$958,314,516

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